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OUTLINES.

The desposition of the Sultan, Abdul Hamid, is believed to be inevitable and a determine effort to force him to abdicate was agreed upon yesterday at a caucas of Senators and deputies. The suggested new ruler of the Empire is Mehmmed Recchad Effendi——Ten jurors have been secured in the trial of Captain Peter Hains, Jr. The taking of testimony will probably begin tomorrow——A fire at Pamplin City, Va., yesterday destroyed an entire block, entailing a loss of $60,000, with insurance of only $15,000——Four prominent society women of Pensacola, Fla., were injured yesterday, when the automobile in which they were riding collided with a trolley car——The joint army and militia coast defense exercises will be held in North Carolina from June 7th to 17th——In the trial of Beach Hargis, at Irvine, Ky., warrants were issued for several witnesses for the defense ——The President appoints James T. Williams, Jr., of South Carolina, a member of the Civil Service Commission, also A Donaldson Smith, of this State to be Consul at Patras, Greece ——W. A. Thompson, of Warrenton, Va., dies of the wounds received from the pistol of Professor Harris——Mr. Paul Phipp of London and the youngest of the "Langhorne sisters" were married in New York yesterday—— Mr. Fletcher, appointed Senator by the Governor of Florida, presents his credentials and takes the oath of office——The disappearance last Friday of the 13 year old daughter of a rich New Yorker is explained by her return and statement that she went off to see the wkorld and work for a living——The situation in Armenia is unchanged. Foreign warships are refused permission to land forces to protect the Americans——One of two negroes who commit several burglaries at Lenox, Ga., kills one of their pursuers and is captured. A lynching is probable——Roosevelt rested yesterday, being much fatigned——New York Markets: Money on call steady, at 1 7-8 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 2, closing bid 1 3-4, offered at 2. Cotton 20 points higher, middling uplands 10.90, middling gulf 11.15. Rosin quiet, turpentine firm. Flour quiet with prices easier. Wheat easy, No. 2 red 1.40 nominal elevator. Corn easy, No. 2 79 elevator. Oats firm, mixed 58 to 58 1-2.

Aldrich knows it is not worth while for him to insist that his tariff bill carries out the pledges of his party's platform.

After all the "interests" get the protection desired what's going to become of the fellows who have no "interests"?

We would like to see one question raised in Congress on which all the Democratic members agree. It would be such a novelty.

The massacre of the Christians in Armenia does not seem to attract as much attention as does the change of Government in Constantinople.

Castro blames the United States for his present position. Didn't he know Uncle Sam was going to get even with him at the very first opportunity?

When Bryan sees what trouble Democratic office-seekers are giving a Republican President he must feel somewhat consoled for his defeat.

The Democrats who lose out in the Judgeship fight must not expect the Republican President to take care of them by giving them something else almost as good.

We don't believe Taft would have said anything about appointing a Democrat to the Judgeship had he an idea that men of that party were going to make such a mess of it.

Now it's to be seen whether the Turks are capable of self-government or whether reform does not mean substituting one set of despotic rulers for another.

Two hundred and ninety out of the three hundred applicants for the positions of oil inspectors will be disappointed, as there are only ten to be appointed.

The Durhamites are to hold a convention in order to find out how matters stand politically, but the Herald fears that it will only muddle the present mixed situation all the more.

A protective tariff advocate favors high tariff and consequently increased cost of everything he consumes in order that he may put additional price on the one article he is engaged in producing.

If the Judgeship is above politics ought not it to be above the scramble that generally accompanies efforts to secure offices controlled by politics? But the candidates don't look at it that way.

A recent pardonee of Governor Kitchin's in Pitt county got a sentence for five years in the chain gang for two acts of larceny before he had enjoyed the results of the Governor's clemency two weeks.

90TH. ANNIVERSARY

Wilmington Odd Fellows Most Appropriately Observe Near Centennial of Their Order

ADDRESS BY HON. G. E. HOOD

Elaborate Programme of Music and Other Interesting Exercises Last Evening in I. O. O. F. Hall. Officers Presiding.

Most appropriate and altogether interesting exercises last evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Third and Princess streets, marked the celebration of the ninetieth anniversary of the founding of Odd Fellowship in America, the four Wilmington lodges of the order and the Daughters of Rebekah having joined in the observance and each member having been permitted to bring one or more friends.

The large hall, in which extra seats had been provided, was comfortably filled with an audience of both ladies and gentlemen and presented a beautiful and animated scene. Upon each officer's stand was a large bouquet of roses and carnations from the Oakmount Greenhouses, these with the other decorations of the hall having been quite pretty. The exercises began at 8:30 o'clock with an overture by a selected orchestra which discoursed sweet music during the entire evening. The orchestra was composed of C. F. MacRae, first violinist; Professor. Emil Bruckman, first clarionet; W. A. Woods, second clarionet; W. A. Martin, flute; J. E. Willson, cornet; R. H. Morrison, trombone, and A. H. Yopp, pianist.

The opening ode was one in which all loyal Odd Fellows could join with much feeling, "Noble Band of Odd Fellows," a composition by Henry Arnold Dennis, a bright young man of the I. O. O. F. home at Goldsboro, who is placing the ode among the Odd Fellows of the State for the purpose of defraying his expenses at Trinity College with a view of equipping himself for the ministry. Past Grand W. H. Yopp, of this city, has succeeded in placing a number of copies with loyal Odd Fellows in Wilmington and its rendition last night was very pleasing.

After prayer by Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., the chaplain, the proclamation calling for the observance was read by Secretary B. F. King and then followed the anniversary ceremony from the ritual. The first part of the programme concluded with a selection "Softly Glide" (F. N. Lohr) by a special quartette composed of Miss Lucy L. McIntosh, soprano; Mrs. Jos. D. Smith, alto; Mr. W. L. Williford, tenor; Mr. H. K. Holden, basso, and Mr. A. H. Yopp, accompanist.

Past Grand Master M. W. Jacobi was master of ceremonies for the evening and happily introduced the speaker of the evening, Hon. George E. Hood, of Goldsboro. Mr. Hood, who is a favorite as an orator in Wilmington, had as his general theme, "Odd Fellowship," and developed the theme quite interestingly and eloquently, being given the closest attention and the most enthusiastic applause. He made special reference to the late Nathaniel Jacobi, of Wilmington, beloved of every Odd Fellow in the State, and spoke tenderly of his fatherhood of the orphanage at Goldsboro and of the Jacobi Memorial Building being erected there as a silent testimonial of the appreciation of his brethren of the State in whose memory he will ever lovingly dwell.

It was much regretted that illness prevented Mrs. J. M. Lord from reading an interesting paper which she had prepared on the Daughters of Rebekah, the ladies' branch of the order. This subject was touched upon by Rev. K. D. Holmes, who also discussed quite interestingly the Encampment, the higher branch of Odd Fellowship which has a strong organization in Wilmington. These features of the altogether interesting occasion were interspersed by orchestra selections and a beautifully rendered solo, a Spring song by Miss McIntosh, to which she was twice obliged to bow her thanks for an encore. The closing feature was a "Slumber Song" by the quartette, which was also much enjoyed by the large audience. Dr. McClure dismissed the meeting with prayer after the master of ceremonies had gracefully thanked those in attendance for their presence, which he assured them was a pleasure for the Odd Fellows of this city.

The officers of the occasion were: Past Grand Walker Taylor; Noble Grand B. J. Jacobs; R. S. to N. G., O. O. Mills; L. S. to N. G., C. S. Lewis; Vice Grand E. N. Penny; R. S. to V. G., A T. Parker; L. S. to V. G., Julius Sternberger; Secretary B. F. King; Treasurer William Goodman; Warden J. E. Silva; Conductor E. S. Hancock, Outer Guard W. G. T. Keen; Inner Guard J. H. Swinson; R. S. S., Frank LaFella; L. S., E. D. Craig; Chaplain, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D. In addition to these there were also present as special guests Past Grand Masters J. D. Bellamy and M. W. Jacobi.

The committee desires to publicly thank the splendid orchestra for the volunteer of its services and the quartette for its sweet music. The arrangements were carried out perfectly and the committee deserves much credit for the altogether interesting occasion. The committee was composed as follows: Messrs. John E. Wood, chairman; C. D. Morrill, secretary; W. H. Yopp, D. Wilborn Davis, E. S. Cook, T. G. Landen, C. R. Spooner, D. K. LeGwin, D. Rountree, J. Littleton, P. H. Murphy and J. H. Williams.

THE ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE

North Carolina Colonial Dames to Meet on May 5th—Journey to Ruins of Old St. Phillip's Church—Tablet.

The annual meeting of the North Carolina Society of Colonial Dames and pilgrimage to the ruins of old St. Phillip's Church, down the river, promises to be most interesting this year and already arrangements are being made for these gatherings. The annual meeting and pilgrimage will be held on May 5th and the programme will be announced in full in a few days.

Members of the Society and their guests for the occasion will leave Wilmington for Orton plantation at 9:30 o'clock the morning of the fifth on the steamer Wilmington and the annual meeting of the Society will be held there. A second trip will be made on the afternoon of the same day when the visitors to St. Phillip's Church will go immediately there where formal exercies will be held on the spot fraught with so many sacred memories of Colonial days on the Cape Fear. Following the meeting at Orton the Dames will proceed in a body to Governor Tryon's palace, a short distance from Orton, where a handsome tablet will be unveiled with appropriate ceremony. An invitation has been extended to Mrs. Gaston Meares to unveil the tablet and it is sincerely hoped that she will accept. The tablet is for the commemoration of the deeds of those patriots of the earlier days, who first successfully resisted the Stamp Act in the colonies and will be suitably inscribed.

The exercises at St. Phillip's will take place within the ruins of the old church and will begin immediately upon the arrival of the steamer Wilmington. The chief feature of the day will be the reading of a prize essay by a student of the University, which has already been selected from a number submitted in competition, and this reading will be by Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., of this city. There will be other interesting exercises which will be announced in due time.

FRATERNAL MYSTIC CIRCLE.

Grand Ruling Meets Here Today—Banquet and Trip to the Beach.

The Grand Ruling of the Fraternal Mystic Circle in North Carolina will assemble in this city today and a number of visitors will be here to participate in the sessions. Among the number will be Mr. Geo. H. Barrett, of Philadelphia, who has been sent as special Supreme Deputy to install the newly elected officers of the Ruling. Mr. Barrett has already arrived and is being entertained by the local committee.

One of the features of entertainment in honor of the visitors will be a trolley party to Wrightsville Beach and an oyster roast this afternoon. The party will leave Front and Princess streets at 3 o'clock, returning in time for a Grand Ruling session and banquet this evening in the Masonic Temple.

Special Supreme Deputy Barrett is a former North Carolinian and is accompanied to Wilmington by Mrs. Barrett. Both are extended a most cordial welcome back to their native State. The Supreme Deputy will install the newly elected officers just before the banquet at 10 o'clock this evening.

STRAWBERRIES MOVING.

Thirty-Eight Cars Sunday and Six Yesterday—Rain Was Welcome.

Thirty-eight refrigerator car loads of berries were handled through the junction office at South Rocky Mount Sunday, representing shipments from the belt Saturday, and six cars went through yesterday according to the telegraphic bulletin by Business Agent Bauman last night. The six cars were distributed two to Philadelphia, two to Albany and one each to New York and Boston.

The rain on Sunday was quite welcome in the berry belt and it is said, will improve the crop wonderfully. Yesterday there were requisitions for about 60 cars from the Chadbourn belt and 19 for the Wilmington & Weldon section, so that the loading today is expected to be quite heavy. Prices are said to be not so good as during the past week but an improvement is expected with the gradual improvement of the quality.

Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival.

The ladies of the Christian Church will give a delightful strawberry and ice cream festival this evening in the Boys' Brigade armory for the benefit of the church and a pleasant time is assured all who attend. In addition to the refreshments there will be a programme of good music and fine literary exercises. All friends are most cordially invited.

Saturday at Lumina.

May Pole dance at Lumina Saturday night. **

EASTERN JUDGESHIP

Much Speculation on Probabilities and Possibilities if Certain Things Are Done.

DAY'S DOINGS IN RALEIGH

Fire in Gas Works—Insurance Trial at Laurinburg—Federal Prisoner Pardoned—New Charters. Stockholders Meet.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—The Eastern District United States judgeship matter came in today for very much more discussion than usual among the State officials, the probability of the appointment of Judge H. G. Connor, now on the Supreme Court bench, being the special burden of the discussion.

It seems that some one has confided to one and another of the State officials that they have it from very close to the President that he has made up his mind to appoint Judge Connor and is just waiting for a formal conference with National Committeeman Duncan and some other Republicans before doing so, his mind being already made up for Connor.

State officers are discussing freely the probable course of Governor Kitchin in filling the vacancy on the Supreme Court bench if Judge Connor accepted. Most frequently mentioned as the probable successor to Judge Connor is J. S. Manning, of Durham, who besides being a lawyer of high standing, managed the campaign of Governor Kitchin for the Governorship. However, he has never been on the Superior Court bench and there seems to be some sort of a precedent that a Supreme Court judge must first have served on the inferior court bench. If this should eliminate Mr. Manning the impression prevails that the appointment would in all probability go to Judge J. Crawford Biggs, of Durham, as the Governor, it is thought, would choose his appointee from the Fifth district. Then if Biggs were appointed, it is believed that the vacancy this would occasion on the Superior Court bench would be filled by the appointment of some member of the Greensboro bar, most probably Major Chas. M. Stedman, who was especially active in the contest of Mr. Kitchin for Governor.

Some think that the Supreme Court appointment might go to ex-Judge R. W. Winston, who recently moved here from Durham to practice law with ex-Governor Chas. Aycock. It is thought that the Governor would certainly be confined in his appointments to the Fifth district section of the State unless he went, for instance to the Wilmington bar for his appointee, all the other sections being represented on the bench. This report that gives rise to all this surmising has it that the Presidential appointment will probably be announced Tuesday or Wednesday. These discussions round up, however, with the regretful expression that, after all, a Republican may get the district judge appointment and elliminate all these possibilities.

C. M. Bernard was notified through a telegram from Washington today that President Taft grants a pardon for F. M. Haithcock, a well known Chatham county farmer, serving 15 months at the Atlanta government penitentiary on the charge of furnishing meal and other supplies for a blockade distillery that was destroyed near his home. Haithcock is 52 years old, has a large family and stood especially well in his neighborhood. His pardon was recommended by nine of the jurors who convicted him and 17s of his neighbors including the deacons and pastor of the Baptist church, of which he is a member.

Three new charters were granted today. The Motor Co., Winston-Salem, capital $50,000 authorized, $1,000 subscribed by J. L. Gilmer, Powell Gilmer and L. E. Fishel for general motor car sales and rental business; The Dixon-Hicks Hardware Co., Snow Hill, capital $10,000 authorized and $2,400 subscribed by C. O. Dixon, S. H. Hicks and others; The Coleman Mercantile Co., Draper, changing name to The Hilliard Mercantile Co., T. G. McAllister president.

Stockholders of the Greensboro News Company here today merely effected a temporary organization by the election of J. A. Smith, Charlotte, temporary chairman, and Willis G. Briggs temporary secretary. Adjournment was to next Friday, when the organization will be completed. It is understood that publication is to begin at Greensboro somewhere around May 15th. E. C. Duncan was unable to be here today, but will be on hand Friday.

The Raleigh gas works narrowly missed being destroyed by fire early Sunday morning, only the hardest sort of fire fighting having kept the flames from eating their way to the huge gas storage tanks the igniting of which would have entailed the most disastrous results in damage to surrounding property for blocks away and in the complete wiping out of the city's gas supply. As it was the generating machinery was put out of commission for the day. The origin of the fire is not known. It was discovered in the engine room and was under good headway when discovered by the night force of the plant. The damage was probably $5,000, covered by insurance. The burning of a big coke shed and damage to the engines constitute the principal damage.

Commissioner of Insurance Young has gone to Laurinburg this week to take part in the prosecution of W. J. Mills and A. Bequest on the charges of embezzlement and conspiracy to defraud Mrs. MacLauchlin of $9,000 through an insurance transaction. Judge Crawford Biggs will preside and the trial is expected to take nearly all the week.

FORESTERS ENTERTAIN

First Anniversary of Local Court Celebrated Last Night—Interesting Programme of Exercises Prize Distribution.

An entertainment by the local court of Foresters in the hall on Market street last evening, including an interesting and enjoyable programme consisting of musical numbers, addresses by Woodus Kellum, Esq., and Dr. Mendelsohn and ending with a spirited prize contest was largely attended and was a fine success.

The programme was carried out delightfully and in detail as previously noted, the opening number being "America," this followed by the invocation by Judge J. A. Erwin, pastor of the Christian church. A rendition by the choir was greatly enjoyed. Woodus Kellum, Esq., delivered a thoughtful and splendid address, taking as his subject the "Order of Foresters" he spoke enthusiastically of the benefits derived and the advantages to members and was frequently applauded.

"Marching on to Victory," was another selection by the choir and was followed by a few entertaining numbers on the accordeon by "Judge" Bornemann, who charmed the audience with his skill in handling the instrument and was accorded much praise and applause. The first of the programme was concluded with a solo by Mrs. J. A. Erwin, who sang splendidly. The choir was that of the Christian church and is composed of Mrs. J. A. Erwin, Mrs. Dr. Markham and Messrs. Fox and Crenshaw. Miss Nina Andrews played the accompaniments.

The prize contest, a decided feature of the evening, and in which all present were entitled to participate, was carried out with enthusiasm, by a committee composed of Messrs. B. D. Hamilton and Alex Young. While the contest was in progress Mr. Geo. Honnett was the successful contestant for the watch, and he good naturedly declined to accept it, and the contest for this prize began over again.

While the contest was being re-arranged, Dr. Mendelsohn made an able and fine address on the theme of fraternity and was given splendid attention.

The prize winners were Messrs W. A. Furlong, gold watch; Mrs. A. F. Wagoner, lady's gold chain, and Mrs. John Russ, umbrella. Refreshments were served following the contest.

The event was the first anniversary of the local court and the attendance and interest in the gathering was an indication of the progressiveness of the order here. The programme was under the direction of District Supreme Deputy Bachrach and a committee of two, Messrs. B. D. Hamilton and Alex Young.

ENDEAVORERS RETURN.

Winston Meeting a Fine Success—Wilmington Delegate Highly Honored.

Miss Isabel McDougall and Messrs. William C. and Chas. Rourk, who attended the State Christian Endeavorers' convention in Winston-Salem during the past week, returned home yesterday, delighted with their visit. They represented the Christian Endeavor Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and it is gratifying to know that this society stood second in the State in the report of its work for the year; in fact the society stood first with the exception of number of members added to the church.

Mr. W. C. Ruark, of Wilmington, was honored with the State vice presidency of the convention, Prof. W. A. Harper, of Elon College, being elected president. Other officers are Miss Charlotte Webb, Winston, secretary; Miss Mamie Bays, Charlotte, treasurer; Mrs. A. G. Dixon, High Point, superintendent of junior work.

There are 71 societies in the State with a membership of 1,812. Dr. Francis E. Clark, founder of the Society, was present and delivered an address and another feature was a complimentary recital by the faculty and pupils of Salem Female College.

GOES OUT OF BUSINESS

Windley Cross-tie Company Out of the Field—Mr. Hahn to Travel.

The Windley Cross-tie Company, which has been an enterprising concern of this city for the past two years, complying with the desire of the principal stockholder and president, Mr. Julius Hahn, will go out of business and Mr. R. T. Windley, the efficient manager, will make connection with another concern of like nature.

The financial affairs of the company are in perfect condition. Mr. Hahn will soon leave for an extended pleasure trip abroad and having decided to retire from this business, has perfected an immediate settlement. The company bespeaks the best of success for the manager, Mr. Windley, who been connected with the company since its organization, and has made a capable and efficient man in the capecity named.

DRAINAGE DISTRICT

Plans Formulating For Reclamation of Wide Area on Upper Cape Fear.

MASS MEETING CALLED

Farmers of French's Creek and Canetuck Townships to Meet at Colly, Bladen County, May 6th. Plans for Levee.

Plans for reclaiming a large area of very fertile swamp lands on the upper Cape Fear river are now rapidly assuming tangible shape and to the end that a community of interest may be obtained, a mass meeting of the landowners of French's Creek and Canetuck townships in Pender and Bladen counties is called to be held at Colly, Bladen county, at 10 o'clock on the morning of May 6th, at which time Mr. J. O. Wright, an expert of the Department of Drainage Investigation, United States Department of Agriculture, and Congressman H. L. Godwin, will be present to address and confer with the people as to the best manner of securing the so much desired improvement.

Engineer Phillips and an assistant of the department, have been in that section for ten days or more, making all necessary surveys, etc., and at the Colly meeting it is proposed to incorporate a drainage district for Lyon's Swamp in two districts, one from Tide way to the Bladen line and and another from the Bladen line to the head of the swamp; also to incorporate a mutual organization to build the desired levee at Kelly's Cove which will protect Lyon, White Oak and Buckle swamps and the smaller swamps running parallel. It is proposed to proceed under the State drainage law, which will be fully explained at the meeting, which it is hoped will be largely attended as the matter is one of the most important with which the people of that section have had to deal in a generation.

Mr. B. F. Keith, of this city, has given much of his time and attention to this matter and at all times has had the active and enthusiastic co-operation of Congressman Godwin. The department of United States drainage investigation is and has done a great service in surveying and advising the promoters of the enterprise as to what is needed for a reclamation of the lands in question, but the National government has no funds for the construction of drainage works. The most that it can do is to render such assistance as will enable the people to help themselves and the meeting next week will be for the purpose of carrying out this mission. Fortunately the State has provided the machinery with which this important drainage may be carried on and it is fortunate that the National government experts have been secured by Mr. Keith and Congressman Godwin to show them what is necessary.

At the last session of the Legislature the White Oak township people through Senator O. L. Clark, of Bladen, set the ball in motion for this drainage and the plans now on foot will work very nicely in conjunction with that district.

It is a matter in which not only the people of the townships named are interested but proper drainage of the area named will open up an entirely new field of valuable farming operations contiguous to Wilmington. Mr. Keith expects to leave tomorrow for a trip through the proposed district and will attend the mass meeting at Colly on May 6th.

INSPECTING LOCAL CRAFT.

Steamer Wilmington and Nellie B. Dey Passed Government Inspection.

United States Steamboat Inspectors F. B. Rice and J. T. Borden spent yesterday in the city inspecting the steamers Wilmington and Nellie B. Dey, the latter of the Ocean Fisheries at Old Brunswick. Both boats passed very creditable examinations. This was the first inspection of the steamer Wilmington since her recent very complete overhauling and repainting and Capt. Rice stated yesterday afternoon that the steamer was in most excellent condition, this with reference not only to her looks but her equipment, which is of the very best. Capt. Borden returned to Charleston yesterday afternoon and Capt. Rice will leave today.

Mrs. W. S. Ellis Dead.

Friends of Mr. W. S. Ellis, formerly of this city, will hear with sorrow of the death of his wife, Mrs. Alice Sommerset Ellis, which occurred at the family home in Savannah, Ga., on Sunday morning at 7 o'clock. The remains will be brought to Wilmington on the 1 o'clock train this afternoon from the south and the funeral will be conducted at 1:30 o'clock from the Second Advent Church, with interment in Bellevue cemetery. The bereaved ones have the tenderest sympathy of all in the sorrow which has come to them.

It is lovely on the river these moonlight nights. Don't forget the excursion, Monday, May 3rd, at 8 P. M.
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THE PEANUT AS A MARKET CROP.

The Agricultural Department of the State has issued a bulletin recently on "Peanut Culture" giving facts and figures in regard to this important agricultural product of our State, prepared by Messrs. B. W. Kilgore and T. E. Browne, of that department. It is a pity that they did not have statistics of later date than those contained in the census reports of 1900. In this bulletin the crop of 1889 is compared with that of 1899. Could figures for more recent years be given they would show still greater increase than the last census report gives over the one of the previous ten year period, although then the peanut crop was an important one.

North Carolina and Virginia are the two largest peanut growing states in the Union. In 1899 they produced 7,173,786 bushels or 60 per cent of the entire crop of the United States. In this State alone in 1889 there were planted 17,776 acres in this crop, producing 421,138 bushels. The production had increased in 1899 to 3,460,439 bushels grown on 95,856 acres, an average of 36.1 bushels per acre as against 23.2 for the entire country, the value of the North Carolina crop being estimated at $1,852,110. During the decade from 1889 to 1,899 North Carolina made the greatest gain of any State in the production of this crop, the area under cultivation increasing 439.5 per cent and the production 721.7 per cent. In the first named year our State's area was 18.6 per cent of that of the whole country and in the last it was 28.9 per cent. Since 1900 there has been marked increase in the acreage and production.

The total area in the United States in peanuts in 1899 was 516,656 acres, producing 11,964,957 bushels of an estimated value of $7,271,230. This is an increase in ten years of 312,712 acres in area and of 8,376,814 bushels in production.

These figures show of what great importance the peanut crop is to this State. While the peanut will grow wherever Indian corn can be produced its production in our State as a market crop is confined almost entirely to the eastern section and more especially to that of the northeast.

This bulletin gives much important information as to the selection of seed, the cultivation and gathering of the crop. Its careful reading will be of advantage to all peanut growers.

SOME KNOTTY QUESTIONS.

The customs officials in New York city are just now bothered over the question as to how to class sugar beets for the purpose of assessing the duty on them. The puzzling question is whether, for the purposes of tax the sugar beet is a "vegetable" or an "unmanufactured article." Whether it is the one or the other is a matter of much importance to the importers. If it is to be classed as a vegetable it must pay an import duty of twenty-five per cent ad valorem; but if it is admitted as an unmanufactured article, a raw material for producing beet sugar, then the duty is only ten per cent ad valorem. Up to the present time sugar beets have been classed as vegetables, importers consequently paying the higher rates; but now the latter are kicking and have raised the point as to classification and the authorities have the matter under advisement.

Our readers remember that not very long ago a somewhat similar question was raised with the customs house officers in Detroit as to how to class bull frogs, which were being brought into this country from Canada to supply restaurants with the delicacies of frog legs. The question, we believe was whether the bull frog was an animal or a fish.

Another knotty question, but entirely unlike those two, has been laid before the city officials of New Haven. This is whether the roller skate is a vehicle or an overshoe. On the answer to this question depends the right of the kids of that city to use the asphalt and granolithic sidewalks as skating rinks. If it is a vehicle it cannot be allowed on the street pavements; if it is an overshoe used to keep the foot from the wet pavement then the authorities have no right to prevent people using them on the sidewalks. Of course the people who do not use them are anxious that roller skates be declared vehicles so the sidewalks may be freed of the nuisance; while the small boy and his girl companion are fighting for the overshoe side of the question.

DEPLORABLE IF TRUE.

We wonder if bridge and other games on which money is staked have really gotten such a hold on the fair women of Greenville as to warrant the charge to the grand jury of the court of Pitt county to investigate the matter and make presentments in all cases that can be found, as is indicated by the following, which we take from the Newbern Journal of last Saturday:

"Judge Cooke, holding court in Greenville this week, read the riot act on all forms of gambling. He said that the information had reached him that playing cards for gain was becoming a favorite pastime with some of the ladies there, and ordered the foreman of the grand jury to make presentations of all cases he could find."

If it be true that Judge Cooke did give such instructions to the grand jury it is quite a slam on the ladies of that town. If the Judge did give such charge he must have known what he was doing—have had good reasons for it. He would hardly have made such general charges of this kind had he not had reason to believe that his duty required him to do so. We hope, however, that a mistake has been made, either on the part of the newspaper reporting the Judge's charge or by the Judge in acting upon an alleged statement of facts which do not exist. It is not pleasant to believe that the ladies of any town in our State have become so addicted to gambling that a Superior Court Judge feels it to be his duty to charge a grand jury to investigate the matter and to make presentments in all cases they can find out about.

THE MONUMENT TO THE HIGHLANDERS.

We believe that the proposition to erect a monument to the memory of the Scotch Highlanders who lost their lives in the Moore's Creek Bridge battle will receive the hearty approval of every North Carolinian who has ever read of the deeds of that heroic band of men who, though exiles, driven from their homes, forced to seek safety in the wilds of the New World, were still loyal to their country. Though driven from home because of their loyalty to the dethroned royal family and opposition to the new line of rulers, they were still Britishers and true to their country. They were gallant men and brave soldiers. They lost their lives in defense of what was to them a duty as sacred as was that to the men who met them upon the bloody field in defense of their rights. True soldiers always want to give full credit to the valor and courage of their enemies in battle. Could the Continentals who met those Highlanders in the deadly strife on that day give expression to their sentiments they would with one accord and heartily endorse the proposition to erect alongside the monument commemorating their victory this one to the memory of their brave antagonists who, though vanquished, were as brave soldiers and, though fighting against them, were from their viewpoint as patriotic men as were the victors and the supporters of American freedom.

The Raleigh Times says "any Democrat in North Carolina who would ask for the Eastern Judgeship at the hands of a Republican President is not only rotten and corrupt at heart, but lacks every principle of a Democrat." If it includes in that category all Democrats who have advocated the appointment of some one or other Democrat it will greatly reduce the strength of the party in the eastern section of the State.

The name of the Sultan of Turkey is Abd ul Hamid. For the word "abd" there is no precise equivalent in the English language, its meaning being somewhat like "son", or "servant" or "follower." It is not properly spelled as one word "Abdul." The nearest English translation of the name is "Servant of Hamid."

Manhattan Island is not big enough for the New Yorkers. They are talking about extending the island two and a half miles below the Battery. An engineer estimates the cost at $26,500,000 and the value of the land reclaimed at $180,000,000.

The Aldrich crowd evidently thinks it necessary to secure more votes by making concessions to "certain interests," which are fighting "certain other interests." Statesmanlike way is that of preparing a Government revenue bill.

Patten said it was the shortage in wheat and not his speculation ran the price up. Secretary of Agriculture Wilson said there was no shortage. As soon as Patten stopped speculating the price dropped. Who was right, Patten or Wilson?

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CURRENT COMMENT

—As an object lesson in minding one's own business we point with pride to the eloquent silence that we are mantaining about the vacant Federal Judgeship in North Carolina, although some of our most distinguished lawyers were born near the North Carolina line.—News and Courier.

—Mr. Carnegie is a dove of peace, but he can smell war as far off as any military Fido that was ever unleashed. And he scents a great war between Great Britain and Germany. Would the great steel masters of the United States be profoundly sorry to see a clash between the lion and the double-headed eagle? — Savannah News.

—Charlotte's getting all she could reasonably expect out of the fact that President Taft is going to visit her on the 20th of May, and we are glad of it. Charlotte talks Charlotte and talks it with effect. The result is a big town and one that is rapidly growing. The Charlotte spirit will make any town hump itself along the primrose path of progress.—Lexington Dispatch.

—From the interest displayed in the city election the people of this town seem to think more about business than they do about good government, but what's the use of devoting one's time to business if we do not have an economical city government—a business government. It is like stopping up the spigot and leaving the bung hole wide open.—Greensboro Record.

—Cameron Morrison, of Charlotte, got off a right good thing when he told President Taft last week that there wasn't a Democratic lawyer in North Carolina who would endorse another man for the Eastern Judgeship, because the last mother's son of 'em was hoping lightning would strike in his direction—or words to that effect. "Ain't it awful, Maud?"—Henderson Gold Leaf.

—The Yadkin river, taking its source from a spring at the Green Park Hotel, at Blowing Rock, assumes the proportions of a considerable river by the time it passes from this State into South Carolina, where it takes the name of the Pee Dee. Congress has been interested in the project of making this stream navigable from Cheraw to Blewitt's Falls, and a government agent has been to Rockingham to see what sort of a degree of river traffic would result should the river be opened to navigation between the points named. The Observer feels quite sure that the river commerce would be sufficient to justify the work the Government would be called upon to do to open the stream to boats. There is enough water in the Yadkin between Blewitt's Falls and Cheraw to float a boat such as plies between Wilmington and Fayetteville.—Charlotte Observer.

—Just what the special Commission is expected to accomplish in Liberia it is difficult to say. The members are expected to study the situation in all its details and be prepared to make a detailed report to Congress next winter, with recommendations as to what it would be best to do in order to put the little negro Republic, now believed to be in the last stages of decay and decrepitude, or turn it over to some Power able and willing to reclaim it from its present condition. The Republic of Liberia was started by negro colonists from the United States as an experiment, which, it was hoped, would prove so successful as to cause quite an exodus of the colored race from this country for a return to native Africa. The experiment, as such, has proven a complete failure, both in the gradual decay of the little Republic and likewise as a means of inducing the negroes to return whence they originally came.—New Orleans Picayune.

—The Charlotte Observer finds that North Carolina Legislatures all but lead in the number of laws enacted by the various States and deplores the fact. A comparison with most of the other Legislatures is hardly fair, however, since they are relieved of the great bulk of local legislation that falls to the lot of the General Assembly of North Carolina. In a number of States which we have in mind authority is vested in the Secretary of State or some other one or body to incorporate and amend the charters of cities and towns and to do various other things that are biennial plagues to North Carolina legislators. The North Carolina General Assembly of 1909, to illustrate, acted favorably up 1,319 public and private bills and 56 resolutions. We have not taken the pains to examine but feel safe in venturing the assertion that of the bills enacted three-fourths were of a private character, debate upon some of the most insignificant of them consuming valuable hours.—Salisbury Post.

TWINKLINGS.

—Artist—This picture I call "Pigs in Clover." Critic—I see the pigs, but where is the clover? Artist—The pigs ate it.—Cleveland Leader.

—Professor (at chemistry examination)—Under what combination is gold released most quickly? Student—Marriage, sir.—Harper's Weekly.

—"There is no doubt that women always get what they want." "And, of course, that explains why they don't get the ballot."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—He—Do you approve of dancing? She—No. "Why not?" "Why, it's mere hugging set to music." "Well, what is there about that you don't like?" "The music."—Princeton Tiger.

—Nell—She admits she made a mistake in marrying a man old enough to be her grandfather. Belle—Yes, she had an idea he would only live a few months and they've been married nearly a year now.—Philadelphia Record.

—Wife—You are positively the most conceited man I ever met, Hubby—I conceited? Woman, there's not a conceited bone in my body. Why, another man with the same abilities would be absolutely carried away with pride.—Illustrated Bits.

—Philanthropic Caller (with subscription paper)—I shall ask your attention only a moment, sir. Are you a friend of the dumb brutes? Shorty McGinnis—You bet I am. That's why I hate cats, parrots an' donkeys.—Calcago Tribune.

—"Kind sir," whined the ragged individual in the crownless hat, "could you give me a dime?" "No!" snapped the well dressed man, "I don't encourage beggars." "Then will you give me same advice, sir?" "No, that will cost you $5. I am a lawyer."—Harper's Weekly.

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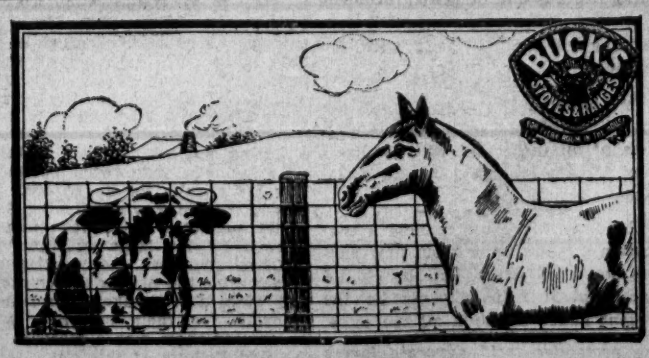

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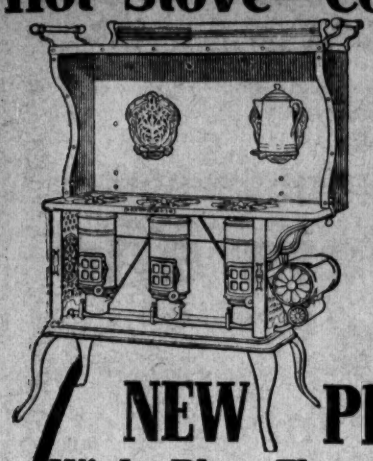

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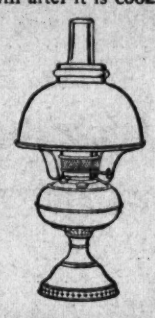

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Able to Hear It.

Joseph Medill of the Chicago Tribune was somewhat deaf, although his ability at times to hear what was said in an ordinary tone of voice was frequently remarked. It is related of him that he dropped into the business department of the office one day to make an inquiry about something that had occurred to him, and a young man who had been in his employ only a few months undertook in a loud tone of voice to enlighten him.

"What did you say?" asked Mr. Medill, putting his hand to his ear.

The young man repeated the question in a still louder voice.

"I can't hear you," said the editor.

"Oh, chase yourself around the block, you old granny!" muttered the impatient employee just above his breath.

"I am not an old granny," said Mr. Medill, turning away, "and I shall not chase myself around the block."

The fresh young man made immediate arrangements to say goodby to his job, but the great editor probably thought that the lesson he had received was sufficient and did not disturb him.

A Famous London Tavern.

The Mermaid was the name of a famous London tavern frequented by noted literary men and actors during the reign of Queen Elizabeth. All the wit and talent of the time assembled there for convivial enjoyment. Authors have made it the scene of great mind combats between such men as Shakespeare, Ben Johnson, Beaumont, Fletcher, Selden, Carew, Donne and others of reverential memory. It was the gathering place of the celebrated Mermaid club, the origin of which is ascribed to Sir Walter Raleigh. The Mermaid tavern was located in Bread street and was handily reached from three thoroughfares, so that it has been often referred to in various ways. The Mermaid in Bread street, the Mermaid in Friday street and the Mermaid in Cheap street were, however, all one and the same. It was the nearest to Bread street. The Mermaid was destroyed in the great London fire. There were other Mermaid taverns, one in Cheapside and another in Cornhill, but they had no such associations as clung to that of Bread street.

Origin of the Word "Bogus."

The word "bogus" is said by Dr. Ogilvie to be derived from Boghese, the name of a notorious American swindler who about the year 1835 flooded the western and southwestern states with counterfeit bills, sham mortgages, etc. Others connect the word with "bogy," a scarecrow or goblin, and so applied to anything fictitious or chimerical.

Lowell in the "Biglow Papers" says: "I more than suspect the word to be a corruption of the French bogasse." This bogasse was the sugar cane as delivered in its dry, crushed state from the mill, also called can trash and fit only for burning, being synonymous with useless rubbish.

Again, according to Brewer, there is in French argot or thieves' slang a word "bogue," which signifies the rind of a green chestnut or the case of a watch, and this also brings us to the idea of an outward seeming without any solid or reputable foundation.—Kansas City Journal.

How to Fish.

On many occasions one might imagine the fish saying to the anglers, "Take me while I am in the humor," but they take no notice of it and often attempt the feat when they are not. It is little use trying to catch fish either in the sea or fresh water when they are not in the humor to bite.—Fishing Gazette.

He Was a Negative.

"He said he felt greatly encouraged because you turned the gas down low when he was calling on you."

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Advice.

"You wants to look out foh de man dat's always givin' advice," said Uncle Eben. "De chances are dat he's one o' dese folks dat likes to watch experiments while some one else takes all de risk."—Washington Star.

Unless the average man is overestimated he feels that he is not appreciated.—Philadelphia Record.

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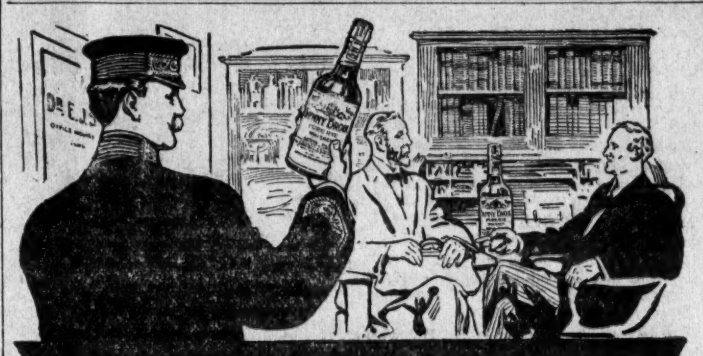

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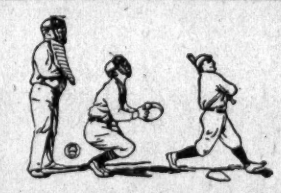

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CHARLESTON, S. C.—Account Omar Temple A. A. O. N. M. S., April 22nd. Round trip from Raleigh $9.30; same basis from other points. Tickets sold April 21st and 22nd, final return limit April 23rd.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Annual meeting Daughters of the American Revolution, April 17th-24th. Round trip from Raleigh $10.70; Charlotte, $14.05; Wilmington, $14.40. Tickets to be sold April 15th and 16th, final return limit April 28th.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—Southern Baptist Convention, May 13th-20th. Round trip from Raleigh $19.60; Charlotte, $16.45; Wilmington, $22.75. Tickets to be sold 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, final return limit May 22nd. Extension can be secured until June 9th.

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Tuesday, April 27, 1909.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., April 27, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Monday, April 26th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 59 degrees; 8 P. M. 65 degrees; maximum 74 degrees; minimum 59 degrees; mean 66 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .31; for the month 3.74 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Monday at 8 A. M. 6 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy Tuesday, warmer in the interior; Wednesday showers, cooler in the interior; variable winds.

Port Calendar—April 27.

Sun Rises.....5:12 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:43 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 28 min.
High water at Southport 2:17 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 4:18 P. M.

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Eyota Tribe, I. O. R. M.—Meeting.
Christian Church—Ice Cream Festival.
Fraternal Mystic Circle—Meeting and Banquet.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. C. Keith, of Keith, N. C., was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Mr. W. B. Person, of Pikeville, N. C., was here yesterday making business calls.

—Mr. A. M. Chinnis, postmaster at Phoenix, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mrs. S. T. Meares, of Clarkton, N. C., was in the city yesterday on a short business trip.

—Police Sergeant E. J. Grimsley returned yesterday from a visit to relatives in Columbus county.

—Mrs. T. C. Bray and son left last evening for Washington, D. C., where they will spend some time.

—Dr. J. G. Murphy returned last evening from Kenansville where he spent Sunday at his old home.

—Miss Maggie Fennell spent Sunday and yesterday visiting friends and relatives at Kerr, N. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chambers and son, of New York, are visiting Mrs. S. P. Adams at her home in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Crow and little son, of Baltimore, are in the city for a visit of some time to friends and relatives.

—Mrs. W. F. Gilbert and little daughter, Margaret, left Sunday morning for Kerr, N. C., where they will spend a few days.

—Mr. George S. Bowden will leave on the early morning train today for Waycross, Ga., much to the regret of his many friends.

—The many friends of Mr. John A. Orrell, of Charlotte were pleased to have him in their midst Sunday and yesterday. He will return to Charlotte today.

—Graham Kenan, Esq., returned yesterday evening from Kenansville where he spent Sunday as a member of a house party being given at the old Kenan home there.

—Mr. E. Roscoe Hall, of the government mail service in this city, leaves today for Fayetteville where he will be a witness in a damage suit against the Atlantic Coast Line.

—Mr. D. G. Vafiada returned yesterday morning from New York whither he went to accompany Mrs. Vafiada and little son, who sailed on Saturday for a visit to Greece.

—Mr. H. M. Emerson left yesterday afternoon for Arizona to be with his son, Mr. Neill D. Emerson, who hundreds of Wilmington friends will regret to know, is not improved.

—General Superintendents W. H. Newell, E. M. Brand and Morton Riddle, of the Atlantic Coast Line, were in the city yesterday on business connected with the headquarters of the system in the city.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Townsend, of New York, who have been at Jacksonville, N. C., for some time for the unexcelled fishing sport in New River, are in Wilmington, returning home and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. N. Evans.

—Grand Patriarch W. L. Smith, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, left last evening for Wallace, N. C., where he delivered the address for the celebration of the 90th anniversary of the order in the town last night.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at the Colonial Inn were Messrs. W. B. Person, of Pikeville; Louis Einstein, of Kinston; A. C. Foscue, of Maysville; E. L. Cox, of Jacksonville; J. E. Johnson, of Fair Bluff; S. L. Kemp, of Southport; Lieut. McCleary, of Fort Caswell, and Hon. Geo. E. Hood, of Goldsboro.

DIED.

ELLIS—In Savannah, Ga., Sunday morning at 7 o'clock, April 25th, ALICE SOMMERSET ELLIS, beloved wife of W. S. Ellis.

Remains will arrive this (Tuesday) afternoon at 1 P. M. with funeral from Second Advent Church at 1:30 o'clock. Interment in Bellevue cemetery. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

Saturday at Lumina.

May Pole dance at Lumina Saturday night. **

LOCAL DOTS.

—The regular kindling of the council fires of Eyota Tribe No. 5, Improved Order of Red Men, will be held at the wigwam of the order this evening at the usual hour.

—The tug Alexander Jones, Capt. W. A. Sanders, has gone to New York with one of the Florida yachts in tow and it is understood that she will do towing there for some time before returning to the home port.

—No Savannah naval stores quotations are given in the commercial columns of the Star today, yesterday having been Confederate Memorial Day in Alabama, Florida, Georgia and Mississippi, the holiday being on that account.

—Mrs. Jacob W. Strickland, whose husband recently died, wishes to publicly thank all, especially the Odd Fellows and members of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, for those who were so kind to the family in its recent deep bereavement.

—Dr. McClure, president of the Associated Charities, is pleased to see the very general interest being taken in Tag Day for next Tuesday and hopes that the interest will continue that the benefit for this good work may be a great success.

—The steamers Nellie B. Dey and Compton are now being placed in readiness to begin fishing for the Ocean Fisheries Co., at Old Brunswick. Capt. Bussells, formerly of the Atlantic Fisheries, is now with the Ocean company and has been pleasantly received by many friends in local marine circles.

—Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., who was recently elected president of the local branch of the Playgrounds Association of America, has been notified of his election as president of the National Association for North Carolina, a position which he is eminently fitted to fill both by education and training and by his inherent love for humanity.

DIED FROM INJURIES.

J. C. Grimes, Brunswick County Farmer, Thrown From Horse.

The untimely death of Mr. J. C. Grimes, an aged farmer of Brunswick county, occurred last night at his home at Town Creek as the result of injuries he sustained by being violently thrown from his horse some two weeks ago. Besides being injured internally several of his ribs were broken, and on account of his advanced age was unable to survive the shock. The deceased was a well known farmer and the intelligence of his death will be learned with deep regret by his friends in this city.

Mr. Grimes was 74 years old and has one son in Wilmington, Mr. J. Oliver Grimes, besides a number of other children and a score of relatives, most of whom reside in Brunswick county. The funeral arrangements will be announced today.

THE CHARGE DISMISSED.

Mr. J. W. Grady, Industrial Insurance Man, Released From Custody.

A satisfactory settlement in which both sides are reported to have made concessions was reached Saturday afternoon under the terms of which the Imperial Mutual Life and Health Insurance Co., withdrew its proceedings against Mr. J. W. Grady, the well known industrial insurance agent arrested last week, and he was released from custody. Messrs. Herbert McClammy and A. G. Ricaud represented the prosecution and Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy appeared for Mr. Grady in the negotiations for a settlement. In the transaction, Mr. Grady was fully exonerated of any criminal guilt and his friends are congratulating him upon the termination of the difficulties which, for a time, beset him.

AN INDIAN EVANGELIST.

Series of Services to Begin Next Week at St. Andrew's Church.

There will be general interest in the announcement, especially among the congregation, that Rev. Frank H. Wright, the Indian evangelist of Dallas, Texas, will begin a series of meetings at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, of this city, today week at 4 P. M. Besides being a fine speaker, Rev. Mr. Wright is also an excellent singer and will add greatly to this feature of the service personally. Preparatory to the coming of Mr. Wright further announcement of which will be made, prayer meetings are being held each day this week at 9 A. M. at the manse and 4 P. M. in the lecture room of the church. All are most cordially invited.

FINE NEW CRAFT.

Mr. H. B. Short Building Motor Boat For Pleasure on the Lake.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lake Waccamaw, N. C., April 26.—Contending that half the pleasure in owning a motor boat is in the knowledge that one has made it himself, Mr. H. B. Short, probably one of the largest lumber and shingle manufacturers in the South, is building his own boat with a Niagara knock-down frame. He is most enthusiastic over her and will use her this Summer on Lake Waccamaw, N. C. The boat is 25 feet long, five feet beam and Mr. Short has bought a 5 1-2 H. P. engine for her from Mr. K. B. Council, of Lake Waccamaw.

Capt. "Dick" Smith Has Arrived.

Capt. "Dick" Smith, who will again pilot the Sailors on their pennant cruise in the Eastern Carolina Baseball League this season, reached the city yesterday in fine form for the near-opening of the series. He is personally in fine condition and talks most interestingly and encouragingly of the outlook for Wilmington in the greater Eastern League in 1909. Other members of the team will be reporting from day to day this week and Capt. Smith will at once get them down to team work.

Saturday at Lumina.

May Pole dance at Lumina Saturday night. **

A DELICIOUS FLAVOR may be obtained for every dainty by using SAUER'S FLAVORING EXTRACTS

The Theatre

The Crystal Palace opened big again yesterday, both as to point of attendance and a splendid show. Some slight change had to be made in the programme announced, due to the sickness of one of the Martyne Sisters, but the change really afforded a better bill, as one of the sisters, Miss Allie Martyne, was on the boards and a fine comedy sketch team was added. The performance is one of snap and bright ness and is good from start to finish. The topliners are McNally and Stewart, comedy sketch artists, who close the performance with a rattling good sketch, "The Minstrel Man". The act is interspersed with some fine singing by Miss Stewart, some clever dancing and coon shouting by McNally and plenty of jokes. Frank Bailey, a favorite comedian in Wilmington, is also on the bill. His "Silly Sam" act and wooden shoe dancing score a big hit. Miss Allie Martyne does a pretty song and dance sketch, while Miss Lena Young, soubrette, is clever.

At the LeGrande.

The "coolest house in the city" is what the LeGrand claims for its popular place of amusement on Market street. The theatre is well ventilated and sanitary throughout, affording a pleasant place for old and young to spend 45 minutes in wholesome amusement. The house is open from 2 to 11 P. M. and the performances are continuous. The programme for today will include "Any Port in a Storm," "Two Much Advice," and "Charlie Forced to Find a job." These are fine subjects and should attract a much larger patronage today than usual.

Offering at the Bijou.

The Bijou will offer this afternoon and evening two extra fine feature films, "Confidence," a beautiful romance of a girl from the "Golden West" and "Napoleon: The Man of Destiny." The latter is a magnificent production with wondorus staging and accurate reproduction of the costumes and manners of a past age. Both will be found quite pleasing to Bijou patrons.

NEGRO GETS 12 MONTHS.

Recorder Sentenced Gealie James For Selling Whiskey.

Gealie James, colored, found guilty on the charge of selling whiskey and sentenced by the Recorder to serve twelve months on the road, was the only case of any consequence at the session of court yesterday. James was convicted on the evidence of Sis Baldwin, LuBelle Davis and Paul Gillam, all colored, who testified that they purchased a bottle of whiskey from him and paid him for the same. The defendant denied the charge, but admitted he procured the intoxicants and deivered it. The evidence against him was conclusive and the Recorder decided he was guilty of the charge. James was arrested Sunday by Policeman Leon George at Sixth and Nixon streets.

Failing to answer to the charge of disorderly conduct, the appearance bond of Ross Cannady, white, was forfeited and a capias issued for his arrest. Fleet Bachus, colored, tried on a similar charge, was dismissed.

GAME THIS AFTERNOON

Local High Schools Match For Honors. Team Returns From Trip.

An interesting baseball game in amateur circles, particularly among the school teams, will be played this afternoon at League park between the Cape Fear Academy and Wilmington High School, both of which have fast teams and have played good ball throughout the season.

Schulken and Wessell will compose the battery for the Wilmington High School and Gilbert and Thompson will do the stunt for Cape Fear team. The game will be called at 3:30 o'clock and cars will run to League park, beginning at 2:30 o'clock at intervals of 15 minutes. A good crowd is expected and the admission will be 15 cents.

The Cape Fear Academy returned Sunday from a trip to Red Springs and Raeford, where they played three games. They won the Red Springs game by an easy victory and in the other two games showed up to good advantage.

HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Lot Owners of Bellevnue Cemetery Elect Officers For Year.

The annual meeting of the lot owners of Bellevue cemetery at 8 o'clock last evening at the office of the secretary, No. 211 Princess street, was featured by the election of officers for the ensuing year and a discussion of other business matters in connection with the cemetery.

The officers and directors are as follows: H. A. DeCover, president; G. W. Bornemann, vice president; W. E. Yopp, secretary and treasurer and J. H. King, superintendent. Directors, Messrs. G. W. Linder, G. W. Bornemann, S. G. Hall, J. C. Davis, Wm. Simpson, John A. Everett and J. O. Brown.

The meeting was well attended and a statement furnished by the secretory showed the company to be in good financial condition.

Swept Over Niagara.

This terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings—growing ripples and faster current—Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the Kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see Backache fly and all your best feelings return. "After long suffering from weak kidneys and lame back, one $1.00 bottle wholly cured me," writes J. R. Blankenship, of Belk, Tenn. Only 50c at R. R. Bellamy's

Strawberry and ice cream festival, Boys' Brigade Armory tonight. Fine programme. All invited. *

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15c China Mattings, a Variety of Patterns and Colors. This Week the yard 11 1-2c
25c China and Japanese mattings, a wide range of Patterns, a full assortment of Colors. This week the yard (laid free).....19c
35c Extra Heavy China and Japanese Mattings, an extraordinary line to select from. This week the yard (laid free) 25c
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36 inch wide Floor Oil Cloth, the yard 25c
45 inch wide Floor Oil Cloth, the yard 39c
72 inch wide Floor Linolenne $1.00

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Played Two Games Yesterday.

Two games at League park yesterday between second teams of the Union and High schools, ended with a victory to the credit of each. In the first contest the High School won by a score of 4 to 1, and in the latter game, it is claimed, was forfeited to the Union school aggregation, when members of the other team left the grounds before the game was finished. Both games were well played and there were quite a few who witnessed the sport.

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THERE is a certain satisfaction in every box of NUNNALLY'S candy, whether to have or to give. For yourself, it is gratifying not only to enjoy its delicious flavor, but to know that you have the best the world affords. For a friend, no apology need be spoken or inferred with NUNNALLY'S. It speaks for itself.

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BASE BALL

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 26.—Boston defeated the New York Nationals in a slow game 3 to 2. The locals got many men on bases but could not get them off, hitting in the pinches being weak.

Boston	.100 011 000	3	7 2
New York	.000 100 100	2	7 2

Mattern and Smith; Marquard, Wiltse and Myers. Umpires Rigler and Truby. Time 1:58.

Philadelphia, April 26.—Errors by Brooklyn were responsible for their defeat by Philadelphia today. Hummel's misplays were particularly damaging to Brooklyn's chances, although the home team batted McIntyre's curves hard.

Philadelphia	.300 100 02x	6	13 1
Brooklyn	.000 200 011	4	7 5

Moren, Voveliski and Dooin; McIntyre and Dunn. Umpires Johnstone and Cusack. Time 1:40.

Cincinnati, April 26.—Chicago developed two hitting streaks today, driving Campbell from the box in the second inning and forcing Ragon to retire in the eighth.

Cincinnati	.000 010 010	2	7 2
Chicago	.110 000 040	6	10 3

Campbell, Ragon, Karger and Roth; Overall and Moran. Umpires Klem and Kane. Time 1:52.

St. Louis, April 26.—Pittsburg won in the twelfth from St. Louis today 4 to 3. St. Louis men were thrown out at the plate in the tenth and eleventh innings.

St. Louis	.010 001 001 000	3	8 4
Pittsburg	.100 110 000 001	4	11 1

Sallee, Moore, Lush and Bresnahan; Phillippe, Leifield and Gibson. Umpires O'Day and Emslie. Time 2:14.

American League.

Chicago, April 26.—The Chicago Americans won the second game of the series from St. Louis here today. The winning run was scored in the first inning. Hahn singled and took second on Powell's wild throw of Dougherty's bunt. Isbell sacrificed and Hahn scored on Cravath's infield out.

Chicago	.100 000 00x	1	2 1
St. Louis	.000 000 000	0	2 1

Smith and Sullivan; Powell and Criger. Umpires Sheridan and Perrine. Time 1:16.

Washington, April 26.—Bender held Washington to three hits today while Philadelphia got its off Burns when errors cropped up and won out 3 to 1.

Washingto	.000 000 001	1	3 4
Philadelphia	.100 100 100	3	7 0

Burns, Groom and Street; Bender and Thomas. Time 1:45. Umpires Hurst and Evans.

Cleveland, April 26.—Detroit defeated Cleveland 4 to 2, Willett outpitching Rhoades. The weather was cold and many errors resulted.

Cleveland	.000 200 000	2	3 3
Detroit	.001 001 002	4	9 4

Rhoades and Easterly; Willett and Schmidt. Umpires O'Loughlin and Kerin. Time 1:53.

Boston, April 26.—Boston won the opening game of the series here from New York 1 to 2. A base on balls to McConnell and a lucky three-base hit by Lord in the fifth inning gave Boston the only run.

Boston	.000 010 00x	1	3 0
New York	.000 000 000	0	2 3

Chech and Carrigan; Warhop, Newton, Blair and Kleinow. Umpires Connolly and Egan. Time 1:48.

Sunday Games.

National—Chicago 5; St. Louis 4. Pittsburg 2; Cincinnati 1.

American—Detroit 3; Cleveland 0. Chicago 1; St. Louis 0.

Southern League.

At Birmingham 0; Nashville 5.
At Mobile 4; Memphis 3. Second: Mobile 1; Memphis 1 (12 innings.)
At New Orleans 3; Little Rock 4.
At Atlanta 5; Montgomery 0.

South Atlantic League.

At Charleston 0; Columbus 2.
At Savannah 0; Columbia 2.
At Augusta 3; Jacksonville 4.

Virginia League.

At Portsmouth 2; Richmond 4.
At Danville 5; Lynchburg 2.
At Roanoke 7; Norfolk 5.

Carolina League.

At Winston 0; Charlotte 2.
At Anderson 7; Spartanburg 6.
At Greenville 4; Greensboro 0.

Philadelphia Catcher Dead.

Philadelphia, April 26.—Dr. Maurice Powers, star catcher for the Philadelphia Americans, died in this city today of gangrene poisoning.

IN MARINE CIRCLES

Four Master Arrived in Port Yesterday—Steamer to Bremen.

The schooner Forest City, a four-master with a net tonnage of 1,294 tons and the largest sailing vessel to arrive in port in the past few months, reached here yesterday from New York with cargo of acid phosphate for the Armour Fertilizer works to be discharged at the Seaboard Air Line. Captain Adkins, the master, is formerly of Southport and has quite a few friends and acquaintances in this city.

The British steamer Axminster, Captain Clark, cleared yesterday with 5,759 bales of cotton, valued at $316,000 for Bremen, Germany. The cargo and vessel are by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

The British steamer Osceola, Captain Nisbet, arrived light yesterday from New York to receive cargo of cotton from Alexander Sprunt & Son for foreign markets.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Deeds Which Appear From Record Filed Yesterday at Court House.

Mrs. Ella Weill to J. G. L. Gieschen, for $10 and other considerations, property at southwest corner of 12th and Market streets, 30x150 feet in size.

W. R. V. Norwood, of Statesville, N. C., to F. P. Lamb, for $4,500, residence on South side of Red Cross, 37 1-2 feet east of Sherwood's alley, 37 1-2x160 feet in size.

Wilmington Savings & Trust Co., executor of the last will and testament of Louise B. Smith, to William E. Worth, deed to confirm bill of sale of March 31st 1906 conditioned upon termination of suit, for $3,000, property at southeast corner of Second and Campbell streets, 88x165 feet in size.

Golf Match Saturday.

Another interesting golf match is scehduled for Saturday afternoon on the links of the Cape Fear Country Club for a handsome silver loving cup offered by a member of the Club. It will be a mixed foursome 14-hole handicap and the number of entries is expected to be large.

PHIPPS-LANGHORNE

Youngest of the Langhorne Sisters Marries an Englishman.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 26.—Miss Nora Langhorne, youngest of the five "Langhorne sister" daughters of Colonel Chiswell Dabney Langhorne of Albemarle county, Virginia, was married this afternoon in St. James Episcopal church to Paul Phipps, of London. The wedding was largely attended, those present including many persons prominent in society in a dozen cities.

Mr. Phipps, who is an architect, is a grandson of W. Butler Duncan, a prominent New York railway man. He was born and brought up in England and has visited only briefly in this country. Mr. and Mrs. Phipps will leave for England on Wednesday.

It is persistently reported in Caracas that Cipriano Castro left a fortune of gold buried in that city. If this is so it explains Castro's alleged lack of funds and his anxiety to get back to Venezuela.

The United States auxiliary cruiser Nero sailed yesterday from the new Virginian Railway pier at Sewell's Point for the naval station at Guantanamo, Cuba, with a cargo of coal.

I just looked at the prizes for the Foresters' entertainment, at George Honnet's jewelry store. Why not secure your ticket. Only 25 cents.
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MUSIC IN CITY HALL PARK

Suggestion From Citizen That Would Make for Pleasure of Inhabitants.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

No art is more uplifting than the music and no community is happier, less selfish, more courageous and honest than a music-loving. Since the first of the year considerable impetus was given to this art here and in our midst lives a voice equalling some of our metropolitan internationally famous stars but that singer stands peerlessly alone and there are many people, especially young people who are denied the pleasure of enjoying this wonderful singer and a large number who lack musical love, principally because they have no opportunity of training or stimulating their appreciation of this art. One of the easiest ways to disseminate this love of music and to popularize it, is to have in our midst weekly open air concerts and certainly City Hall park is the natural center, and as one born in your midst who for years has enjoyed in metropolitan places and been soothed, inspired and stimulated by many European band concerts, let me ask the aid of the strong arm of your paper to help us to at once get together and bring about a programme for band concerts, for those of us, who at all times are not able to go down by the loud resounding waves to enjoy string or natural music. As one conceiving this place, if funds are necessary, and our city cannot set aside an amount, if you will open a column for contributions. I will gladly send an anonymous donation. The quickest way it seems to me will be to endeavor to get the Artillery Band from Fort Caswell to come up. This may require more than the consent of the commanding officer of this post. The courtesy of granting this request by the Secretary of War can undobutedly be obtained. Besides having the Fort Caswell Band come, in our midst are splendid cornetists who render solos delightfully; then, to Delgado's hard working band can undoubtedly be depended upon to give us at times a good concert. While not absolutely necessary a few benches and small tables could be placed on the lawn in City Hall Park and vender's ices, cooling non-alcoholic beverages, and pleasant viands could be purchased thereby adding to the exquisite pleasure of hearing a military band or other concerts. The poverty stricken of our city cannot all go to Lumina, so give us very soon music and plenty of music at City Hall Park.

Here For a Conference.

The committee of adjustment from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers on the three divisions of the Atlantic Coast Line from Richmond, Va., to Tampa, Fla., is in the city for a conference with General Manager W. N. Royall, of the Atlantic Coast Line. The conference, it is understood, will be held today and is in regard to certain matters of detail in connection with the service of no general public interest.

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The Verdict of Long Experience.

When you have used a thing twenty years you know pretty well what it is. A baker writes from Sidney, Neb., that for twenty years he has been using Cottolene in his bakery, and finds it the best cooking fat he ever used. He even recommends its use to those who are doing their own baking. This testimonial is noteworthy because it is from a man who makes baking his business and who therefore is in position to judge from long practical use.

Cottolene can be used for all shortening and frying purposes; makes plump, crisp doughnuts, flaky biscuits and light, rich cake. It is better, cheaper and more wholesome than lard.

CAPT. FOLEY ARRIVES.

Will Assume Command of Cutter. First Lieut. Wiley Leaves.

Capt. D. P. Foley, who is well known in Wilmington, where he made his home for some time while commanding officer of the Seminole several years ago, arrived in the city yesterday and will again be in charge of the cutter at the expiration of the leave of absence granted him by the Department. Capt. Foley succeeds Capt. H. M. Broadbent and has many friends here who will be interested in the announcement of his return to this port.

First Lieut. Wiley, who has been in command of the cutter during the past few weeks, left last night for Detroit, Mich., where he will be connected with the Revenue Cutter Morrill. At the present time Second Lieut. Whittier is acting commanding officer.

Their Infant Dead.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. David L. Boone will tenderly sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, David L. Jr., which occurred Sunday morning at the family home, No. 1512 Market street, after an illness of some days. The funeral will be conducted at 11 o'clock this morning, Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., officiating, and the interment will be in Bellevue cemetery.

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—Charlotte News: The friends of Annie King, a girl 16 years old, who boarded at 1401 South Tryon street, are very much alarmed over her disappearance on the 21st inst. The matter was reported to the police department and officers have been dilligently at work on the case, but so far no clue has been obtained as to her whereabouts. The girl came to Charlotte several years ago and at one time was employed with the Charlotte Transfer Company, though at the time of her disappearance she was not engaged there. She is a pretty girl with black hair and black eyes. She has a sister, Mrs. Ed. Moore, who lives on Bland street near the power house. The last time the girl was seen she was going toward the Southern depot.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

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State of North Carolina, County of Bladen:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage, executed by W. D. Shaw and wife, on the 8th day of June, 1908, to the Southern Mutual Home and Real Estate Company, and recorded in Boox 16, page 343, in Register of Deeds office of Bladen county, will on the 27th day of May, 1909, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door of Bladen County, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tracts or parcels of land, to-wit:

First Tract, known and designated as follows: Known as the A. H. Perry homestead, bounded on the north by D. R. Perry, and on the south by Benson, containing 26 acres, more or less, and being R. P. McDougald's draw in the division of her father's estate.

Second Tract, beginning at a stake known as the Perry and Benson corner, and runs south 68, west 26 chains to a stake near Reedy Branch; thence south 78, west 30 1-2 chains to a stake; thence 2 east, 12 chains to a stake near the Perry school house; thence 56 west, 30 chains to a stake; thence south 69 east to the beginning, containing 82 acres.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1909.
SOUTHERN MUTUAL HOME AND REAL ESTATE COMPANY.
C. D. WEEKS, Attorney.
apr 25-30d.

FLORIDA'S NEW SENATOR

Mr. Fletcher Presents His Credentials and is Sworn in.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 26.—Senator Fletcher, of Florida, presented his credentials to the Senate today. The oath of office was adminstered to him. Senator Burrows, chairman of the committee on Privileges and Elections commented on the action of the Governor of Florida in appointing Mr. Fletcher a United States Senator at the close of a regular Senatorial term which he said was not ordinarily within the rule laid down by the Senate when a meeting of the Legislature immediately precedes the expiration of a term. In this case, however, the Legislature did not so meet and as there has been a primary election which had selected Mr. Fletcher, the Committee on Privileges and Elections had taken no action in this case. Florida and Georgia, he said, were the only States whose Legislatures did not meet before the expiration of a Senatorial term.

THE WOUND PROVES FATAL.

W. A. Thompson Dies From Wounds Inflicted by Professor Harris.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 26.—The body of William A. Thompson, associate editor of the Warrenton, Va., Virginian, wha was shot by Professor J. D. Harris, principal of the Warrenton high school, Saturday evening, and who was brought to Washington in the hope of saving his life, was sent to Warrenton today. Accompanying the body were Prosecuting Attorney John Keith, Edward Thompson, Joe Naxheimer, Thompson's father-in-law, and Albert Fletcher, all of Warrenton.

Mr. Keith came to the capital in the hope of obtaining a statement from Thompson, who, however, never fully regained consciousness.

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The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

MEMBERS OF EYOTA TRIBE NO. 5, I. O. Red Men are hereby notified that the regular meeting will be held at its wigwam this (Tuesday) evening at the usual hour. apr 27 1t

MEMBERS OF THE FRATERNAL MYSTIC CIRCLE are hereby notified that the meeting and the banquet of the Grand Ruling of the order will be held at the Masonic Temple this evening at 8 and 10 o'clock, respectively. All members are expected. ap 27 1t

STRAWBERRY AND ICE CREAM festival at Boy's Brigade tonight by ladies of Christian Church. Shadeland Dairy Cream. All friends invited. apr 27 1t

SPECIAL THIS WEEK—Choice pig fish, black fish, trout, fresh water fish and shrimp. 'Phone 765. E. M. P. Odham. apr 27-1t.

WANTED—Experienced office man to accept a position as secretary and treasurer in a fast growing business that will pay good dividend. Must have $1,000 to $3,000, to invest also must have good business qualities, thoroughly accurate in figures and a No. 1, double and single entry bookkeeper. Good references must be furnished. Address "Bookkeeper" care of Sentinel, Winston-Salem, N. C. apr 27-6t.

BETWEEN 1846 and 1861, while moving from Murfreesboro to Charleston or Savannah, some books having the name of James Banks on inside front cover were lost. Finder by writing to Elon G. Galusha, 439 Citizens National Bank Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal., would confer great favor. apr 27-4t*

FOR RENT with board, two desirable Summer rooms nicely furnished. Call at 407 South Fourth street, or 'phone 310. apr 27-3t.

BARGAINS IN BEDDING plants. Fine healthy stock at Oakmont Greenhouses. Scarlet sage in bloom, chrysanthemums for show plants, geraniums, roses, coleas, etc. 'Phone 354. Miss Lucy B. Moore, 15th and Market streets. One block from car line. apr 27-1t.

WORK WANTED—Young man experienced bookkeeper desires work of any kind. Moderate salary. References furnished. Address "J. P." care of Star. apr 27-1t.*

ONLY TWO COTTAGES left on the Beach, one for sale, one for rent. Better see us quick. Smith & Lord. apr 23-tf.

OLD ESTABLISHED paint manufacturing corporation can use good specialty traveling salesman in State of North Carolina experience in paint business not necessary. Good commission or salary. Exceptionally fine opportunity for good salesman. Position permanent. The Eclipse Paint & manufacturing Co., Cleveland, Ohio. apr 25 27 29.

R. L. JOHNSON contractor. I make a specialty of building small houses and repair work. Satisfaction guaranteed and at reasonable prices. R. L. Johnson, Box 194, City. apr 25 2t*

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—"Deestrickt Skule." Last speaking day. Weatherwax Corner, April 29th. apr 25 2t

REMEMBER THE DAY May 1st, the new series of stock in the Co-operative Building and Loan Association opens. You will be wise now and wealthier later by entering this association. Wm. E. Worth, president; B. C. Moore, vice president; Thos. H. Wright, secretary and treasurer. apr 25 3t

FOR SALE—20 acres of land near Wilmington, N. C., with two dwellings and out houses. Situated on railroad. Address "D. E. F." Star office. apr 22-6t*

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

CAROLINA HEIGHTS lot for sale. We have a fine lot for sale that is nicely located. Address Box 194. apr 21-1w.

SPECIAL TODAY—Choice fish and all kinds of sea food. Trout, pig fish, black fish, flounders and fresh water fish a specialty. Phone 765. E. M. P. Odham. apr 22 tf

BOARDERS WANTED—A desirable room, with good table board can be had at 219 North Third street. apr 25 1t.

FOR SALE—1908 Maxwell 2-cylinder 5-passenger touring car Model H. C., thoroughly overhauled at factory recently and equipped with 1909 parts. Will sell for very moderate price. Reason for selling wish to purchase a 7-passenger car. Address P. O. Box No. 295, Wilmington, N. C. apr 23-1w.

WANTED—To correspond with a party having a few hundred dollars to invest in a paying business. Address Postoffice Box 549, City. apr 21-23-24-25.

PHOTOGRAPHS—Artistic photographs, exquisite enlargements. Neat copying and framing. All work guaranteed permanent. The U. C. Ellis Studio. mar 31-tf.

UPHOLSTERING, repairing, varnishing, at 114 1-2 Dock street, 'Phone No. 1465. Carolina Upholstering Company, P. J. Breen, manager de 6-tf

LUMBER AT RETAIL—Grades and prices right. See us before buying. Angola Lumber Co. aug 30-tf

WANTED—By the Waccamaw Lumber Co., at Bolton, N. C., colored laborers for logging department and saw mill; also planing mill machine feeders and graders. Apply in person at Bolton. mar 19-tf.

BOARDING—Permanent and Transient. Best location in city. Meals to suit the business men. Strictly up-to-date. Harnett House, 110 Princess St. Hot and cold baths. Phone No. 719. sep 23-tf

FOR RENT—Store No. 11 Market street, runs back to alley. Suitable for grocery and commission business. Apply to James Owen Reilly. ja 10 su tu tf

SEND YOUR FILMS to the Gem Studio, 114 Market street. Any size film developed, ten cents. Any size picture finished for five cents. Titmas & Foltz, props. fe 17-tf.

FOR SALE—At Carolina Beach, 5-room cottage on main land. The place to spend the hot Summer. Will be sold cheap for cash. Address W. N. care of star. apr 20 tf

FOR RENT—My residence near Castle Hayne, on the rock road, overlooking the river; seven rooms, detached kitchen, stables and outhouse, large cistern; apple, fig and pear orchard; boats, etc. Will rent for month or term of years, furnished or unfurnished. Samuel Blossom, Castle Hayne, N. C. apr 18-6t.

EASTER PHOTOS—Reduced at $1.50 for six cabinet photos and one folder. One enlarged picture free. Work guaranteed. Delivered third day. Lee Greer Studio, No. 116 Market street. apr 3-1m.

WANTED—5,000 Panama, straw and felt hats to be cleaned, blocked and shaped like new by the American Practical Hatter, 128 Market street, Wilmington, N. C. 'Phone No. 1159. mar 25-3m.

THE OLD RELIABLE, the Wilmington Pressing Club, is still running at the old stand on Second street. Others come and go, but the old Wilmington comes and stays de 5-tf

FOR HIGHEST MARKET PRICES, honest and quick returns, ship your chickens, ducks, eggs, geese, turkeys and all other country produce to C. B. Bellois, 16 North Second street. N. C. hams and bacon, a specialty. Phone 1576. apr 11 tf

SPECIAL OFFER—Six half cabinet photographs and one platinum finish enlargement, for one dollar. Best value ever offered. Titmas & Folts, Props. The Gem Studio, 114 Market street, Wilmington, N. C. fe 17-tf

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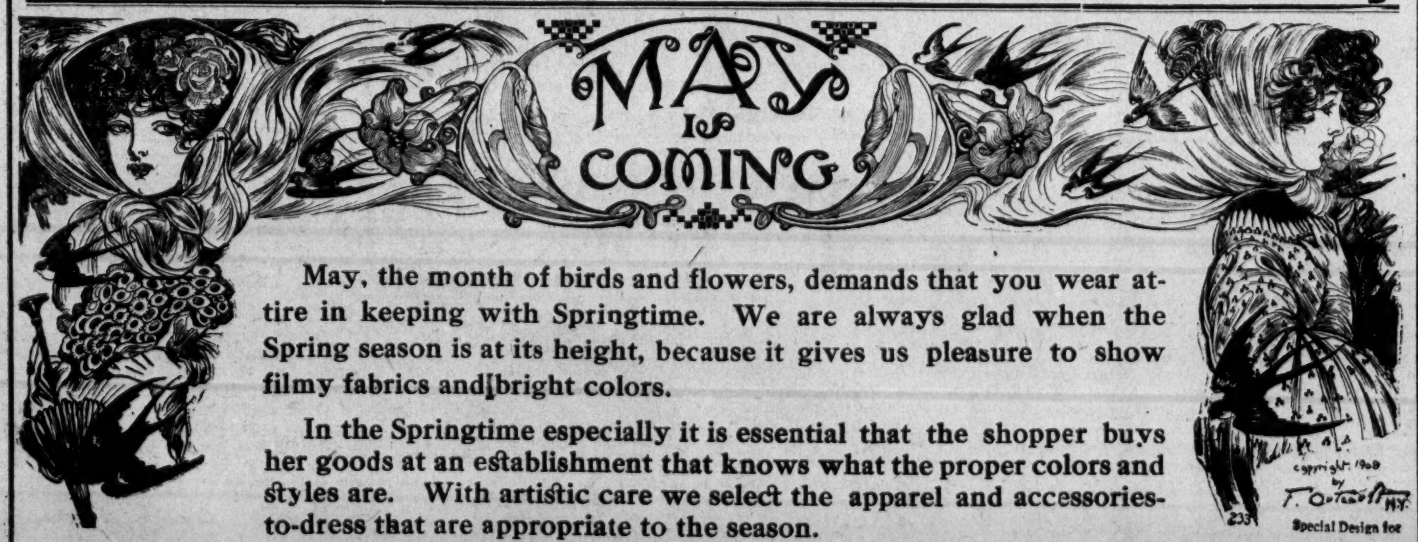

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Lawn Dresses, $4 and upward. Ladies' Sailor Hats.
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apr 1-tf.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Newbern Journal: The United States court will convene this week, Tuesday and although there will be no presiding Judge considerable business will be transacted as continuing cases, renewing bonds and other smaller items.

—Newbern Journal: There is a heavy movement of cabbage from here now, all day nearly a procession of carts and wagons are coming from the truck farms loaded with cabbage. A few peas are seen, also lettuce, but cabbage is the truck.

—Rocky Mount Record: In order to make the amount of expense come within the appropriation the Atlantic Coast Line shops at South Rocky Mount are closed today, in accordance with a bulletin posted yesterday afternoon. It is expected that the loss of possiby two or more days yet this month may be necessary to come within the appropriation.

—Kinston Free Press: People who have been to Morehead within the last few days say that the soft shell crab industry there is getting to be of considerable importance. Whereas formerly northern dealers paid only three cents a piece for crabs they are now paying thirteen. It is stated on good authority that the pay roll of these crab dealers at Morehead next Saturday night will amount to $2,000.

—Chapel Hill, April 24.—Professor Henry Horace Williams, of the department of philosophy, was tonight presented with a loving cup, the gift of "Horace's boys" of all classes. Professor Williams has taught in the University over a quarter of a centur and his influence upon the men whom he has taught is inestimable. The presentation of the cup was entirely unexpected to the professor.

—Rockingham Index: A delegation composed of several of the leading business men of Hamlet were one day this week conferring with the officials of the Valley Railroad Company. The object of the visit was to secure the new railroad for Hamlet. It was represented that Hamlet was willing and in position to offer substantial inducements to have the Pee Dee Valley Railroad cross the Seaboard at Hamlet instead of at Rockingham.

—Wilson Times: The many friends of Mr. Oscar Yelverton in this section and wherever he is known will regret to learn of his death that occurred at his home in Fremont early yesterday morning in the 54th year of his age. The funeral occurred this morning at 10 o'clock and the attendance was one of the largest ever seen at a funeral in Wayne county, for Mr. Oscar Yelverton was beloved and highly esteemed for his splendid Christian virtures, his rugged honesty and kindly consideration of all who came in contact with him.

—Rockingham Index: Mr. Reid Whitmore, of the U. S. Engineering Corps, was in Rockingham yesterday and today, looking after the preliminary survey of the Great Pee Dee river. Mr. Whitmore left today for Blewett's Falls, where he and other engineers will take a government boat to Cheraw. His report will likely be favorable and in due time boats will ply the Pee Dee. This will be of inestimable benefit to this entire section and is one of the most hopeful signs for the wonderful growth of our great country.

—Greensboro Telegram: Mr. U. G. Thompson returned yesterday morning from Raleigh where he went to place in the Pasteur Institute his little son who was bitten by a mad dog. The head of the dog was examined in Raleigh and from the examination it was seen that the animal had a genuine case of hydrophobia. But Mr. Thompson was assured that his little son would be saved from the ravages of the disease. Since the giving of the Pasteur treatment was commenced at the Raleigh institution, 68 patients have been treated and the treatment was successful in every case.

—Cocnord, April 24.—Henry Faggart, aged 72 years, attempted suicide this morning at 6 o'clock by placing his head in a looped rope used to hold steelyards in a cotton house near his dwelling, five miles southeast of this city. The rope was hanging from a beam about four feet from the ground, his knees almost touching, when found by his wife. The old gentleman was unconscious, strangulation having caused clotting of the blood which produced apoplexy. He is living at 8:30 tonight, but there is no hope for his recovery. Mr. Faggart is a successful and well-to-do farmer, an ex-Confederate soldier and a good substantial citizen. About two years ago his health broke rapidly and for several months past his mind has been totally shattered.

—Greensboro Telegram: Shortly before the noon hour was reached yesterday, Judge B. F. Long in Superior Court disposed of the last motion presented to him and ordered an adjournment taken sine die. Following an effort of one of the attorneys to go into one of the cases on the calendar of which there are about seven hundred, Judge Long remarked that he believed he had better move his family here as it seemed almost as if he was going to live and die here before he could get away. He had reference to the number of cases on the calendar which is without a peer when it comes to size. Over eighty cases were disposed of at this term of the court, this being regarded as good headway, though the docket is still badly crowded.

Up Before the Bar.

N. H. Brown, an attorney, of Pittsfield, Vt., writes: "We have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be without them." For Chills, Constipation, Biliousness or Sick Headache they work wonders, 25c at R. R. Bellamy.

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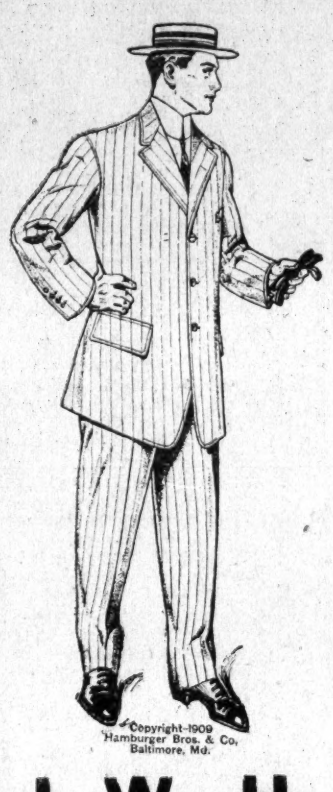

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY.

Office of the Treasurer,
Wilmington, N. C., April 19, 1909.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared two per cent. interest on the Certificates of Indebtedness of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after May 1st, 1909. The transfer books are closed from the 13th day of April, 1909, to 1st day of May, 1909, both inclusive.

JAMES F. POST,
apr 23 8t Treasurer.

BURRETT H. STEPHENS
Architect
and Consulting Engineer
406 Southern Building.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect Jan. 17, 1909.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies: but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	8:35 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:47 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar. Petersburg	7:00 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. Philadelphia	3:45 am	12 23 pm
Ar. New York	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:37 am	11:48 pm
Ar. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Lv. Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:52 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	10:55 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:31 am	1:56 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.
Via Wilson.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:00 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:20 pm	3:45 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:25 pm	6:40 am
Ar. Savh.	6:35 pm	2:15 am	9:00 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:30 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville	9:05 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah	1:15 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:39 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	12:40 am	1:25 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Daily except Sunday.

	Northbound	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv 9:25 am

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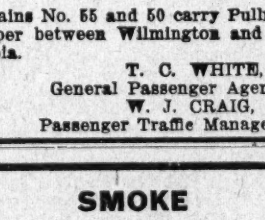

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

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THE BEACH

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WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M. and 1,00, 2,00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00 and 8:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:30 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE FROM WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., and at 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30, A. M., 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON FROM WRIGHTSVILLE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:20, 7:25, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M. and 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:25, 6:55, 7:55, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:25, 6:55, 7:55, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON FROM THE BEACH.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 7:15, 7:45, 9:15, 10:45 A. M. and 12:15, 1:45, 2:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:45, 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 9:45, 10:45, 1:45, 2:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:45, 9:15 P. M.

TO GOLF LINKS AND DELGADO FROM WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:25, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 3:45, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30 10:00, 11:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at *8:25, 8:30 *9:05, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., *12:05, 1:00, *1:25, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON FROM GOLF LINKS AND DELGADO.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:10, 8:40, 9:40, 11:10 A. M., 12:40, 1:25, 2:10, *2:35, *3:55, 4:10, *5:15, 5:40, *6:15, 6:40, *7:15, 8:10, *9:15, 9:40, 10:45, 11:45 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at *8:35, *9:15, 10:10, 11:10 A. M., *12:15, 12:40 *1:35, 2:10, 3:40, 4:10, 4:40, 5:10, 5:40, 6:10, 6:40, 7:10, 8:10, 9:40, 10:45, 11:45 P. M.

*"Carolina" Car, all others shown in above schedule marked "Beach."

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington Daily Except Sunday 3:00 P. M.

Freight depot open from 2:00 to 3:00 P. M.

Seaboard Air Line Railway.

Schedule effective November 29th, 1908. Subject to change without notice.

Direct and shortest line to the principal cities, South and Southwest, also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule Trains North.

Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

TRAINS ARRIVE AT WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS.

No. 44 at 12:25 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local stations.

No. 40 arrives 12:20 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 81 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS.

	No. 45	No. 39.
Lv. Wilm't'n	4:45 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb't'n	7:11 A. M.	5:43 P. M.
Ar. Maxton	7:52 A. M.	6:35 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet	8:45 A. M.	7:20 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet	9:05 A. M.	8:10 P. M.
Ar. Monroe	10:50 A. M.	10:20 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte	11:35 A. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points North at Monroe with No. 52 for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent, or Call Phone No. 1294.

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Traveling Passenger Agent.
Raleigh, N. C.

PROPOSALS INVITED.

Bids will be received at the office of the Chairman of the Streets and Wharves Committee of the City of Wilmington until noon Tuesday, April 27th, for furnishing the city with 885 feet of 18-inch and 184 feet of 15-inch terra cotta pipe. Bids are asked on the Tennessee or East Liverpool, Ohio, terra cotta pipe.

W. A. FRENCH,
Act. Chr. St. and Wharves Com.
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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, April 25.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing. barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market firm, $1.50 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market, firm $1.75 per barrel for hard; $2.75 for dip and $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.95; tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $2.25, $3.25 and $4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	3
Rosin	34
Tar	70
Crude Turpentine	37

Receipts, same day last year 43 casks spirits turpentine; 427 barrels rosin; 98 barrels tar; 59 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 10 1-8 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Steady, 9 3-4c.

Receipts—1,035 bales, same day last year 218 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, April 24th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 50@55c; extra prime, 65c; fancy 70c; Virginia, prime 65@70c; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish 95@$1.00.

CORN—Firm, 82 1-2@85c per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Steady; hams, new 14@15c; shoulders 11@12c; sides 12c.

EGGS — Dull at 16 to 16 2-3c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Good demand at 15@35c for large springs; growns good demand, 40@45c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flin 10c; green, dull 7c. per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 70@75c per bushel for yams.

WOOL—Free of burr, 17c; burry wool 10 to 12c.

TURKEYS—Good demand, 15c per lb. on foot; dressed 18c.

GEESE—Dull 50c per head; dressed 60c.

PORK—Good demand 8@9c; corn fed 9c for small pork.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 26.—While more or less nervous and somewhat irregular at times, the cotton market was generally firmer today with May contracts making new high records for the season and the close steady at a net advance of 13 to 17 points. The market opened firm at an advance of 9 to 13 points and sold 12 to 16 points net higher right after the call in response to firm cables and covering by shorts who apprehended bull manipulation of May and July, camplaints of too much rain in the Eastern belt and too little in the West and a report by a leading trade publication suggesting a decrease of from 5 to 10 per cent. in the cotton acreage of Georgia, although increases were predicted for Florida and Alabama.

The idea that the Turkish troubles were clearing up without any threat of European complications also encouraged bullish sentiment, and while the market reacted to within 7 to 10 points of Saturday's close during the middle of the morning, it firmed up again later on continued covering by old crop shorts, talk of firmer Southern spot markets, and outside buying. There was some Western and Wall street liquidation realizing on the advance, but offerings were well absorbed and the market worked gradually higher with trading becoming more active until prices reached a net gain of 18 to 21 points with May selling at 10.60.

Later positions did not quite reach the previous high records and last prices were 4 or 5 points off from the best under realizing. Southern spot markets officially reported early were unchanged to 1-8c higher. Very little cotton seems to be coming here so far for delivery on May contracts.

Receipts at the ports today, were 21,305 bales, against 31,428 last week and 9,763 last year; for the week 130,000 bales, against 144,274 last week and 58,932 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans were 6,127 bales, against 4,294 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 20 points higher; middling uplands 10.90; middling gulf 11.15; no sales. Futures opened firm and closed steady.

Month	Open	Close
April	——	10.55
May	10.52	10.56
June	10.45b	10.47
July	10.41	10.47
August	10.31	10.33
September	——	10.24
October	10.18	10.22
November	——	10.20
December	10.17	10.21
January	10.11	10.16
March	——	10.15

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Steady, 10 3-8; net receipts 8,046; stock 95,480.

New York—Very steady, 10 3-16; net receipts 6,127; stock 207,571.

Mobile—Steady, 10 1-8; net receipts 239; stock 31,477.

Savannah—Holiday; net receipts 3,251; stock 83,187.

Charleston—Quiet, 10 1-8; net receipts 529; stock 17,185.

Wilmington—Quiet, 10 1-8; net receipts 1,085; stock 16,446.

Norfolk—Firm, 10 1-4; net receipts 1,944; stock 26,242.

Baltimore—Nominal, 10 5-8; stock 10,063.

New York—Quiet, 10.90; stock 114,802.

Boston—Quiet, 10.90; net receipts 42.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.15; stock 6,366.

Jacksonville—Net receipts 92.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 21,305; Great Britain 100; France 600; Continent 1,410; stocks 609,074.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 42,556; Great Britain 228; France 600; Continent 6,543.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 9,061,927; Great Britain 3,079,803; France 918,869; Continent 3,055,588; Japan 180,000; Mexico 15,500.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Steady, 10 3-8; net receipts 3,900; stock 85,684.

August—Steady, 10 1-4; net receipts 116; stock 46,433.

Memphis—Steady, 10 1-8; net receipts 520; stock 108,801.

St. Louis—Steady, 10 1-4; stock 43,125.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 380; stock 19,542.

Louisville—Firm, 10 3-8.

Little Rock—Quiet 9 7-8; net receipts 365; stock 39,456.

Total today—Net receipts 5,272; gross receipts 7,613; shipments 13,269; sales 5,417; stock 343,141.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, April 26.—Cotton: Spot good business done, prices 7 points higher. American middling 6.08; good middling 5.72; middling 5.52; low middling 5.34; good ordinary 5.05; ordinary 4.70. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 9,400 American. Receipts 3,300 bales all American.

Futures opened firm and closed steady. April, April and May, May and June, June and July 5.43 1-2; July and August 5.47; August and September 5.44; September and October 5.41 1-2; October and November 5.39; November and December 5.37; December and January 5.36 1-2; January and February 5.36; February and March 5.36 1-2; March and April 5.37 1-2.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 26.—The cotton goods market opened firm, but business was on a moderate scale. Crashes have been priced for the fall season. Yarns are firmer with a very moderate business doing. Dress goods are quiet in most houses, but some duplicate ordering for fall is being done by jobbers.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 26.—There were symptoms of languor in the speculation in stocks today and a disposition was manifst to harvest accrued profits rather than to undertake renewed commitments. The selling pressure became pronounced when the market developed any show of strength, but it was not pushed at the severe cost of values until the last half hour of the day. This condition of affairs caused a heavy undertone rather than pronounced weakness. The money market position seemed to be responsible for the accession of caution on the part of operators for the advance. A flurry in the call money market is considered amongst the possibilities for the present week in cotton with the preparations for the monthly settlements to be financed.

The day's speculation centered in favorite trading stocks, notably in Reading. There were traces of anxiety in some foreign markets over the unsettled affairs in Turkey. Reading seemed to be hurt by the intimation that very heavy supplies of anthracite remained on hand to be worked off during the summer in the event of an agreement with the miners. Gathering distrust over the selling of stocks which appeared on all favorable opportunities led to a general throwing over of speculative accounts in the late dealings and to the weak closing.

Bonds were heavy. Total sales, par value, were $4,882,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. The total sales of stocks for the day were 739,000 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 26.—Money on call steady 1 7-8 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 2, closing bid 1 3-4, offered at 2 per cent. Time loans stronger; sixty days 2 1-2 per cent. ninety days 2 1-2 bid and six months 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4 per cent. sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8615 to 4.8625 for sixty day bills and at 4.8740 for demand. Commercial bills 4.85 1-2 to 4.85 5-8. Bar silver 52. Mexican dollars 44.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refuding 2s reg	101 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s cou	101 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	101 1-2
U. S. 3s cou	102
U. S. 4s reg ex int	119
U. S. 4s cou	120 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 6s	110 1-8
Atlantic Coast Line 4s b	97
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	101 1-4
L. & N. Unified 4s	101 1-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s offd	71 1-4
Southern Railway 5s	112
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	104

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	76 1-4
Amr. Car & Foundry	50 1-8
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	112
Amr. Cotton Oil Co	58
Amr. Locomotive	54 1-2
Amr. Smelting & Ref	89 3-8
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	105 1-4
Amr. Sugar Refining	132 3-4
Atchison	107 5-8
Atchison pfd	104
Atlantic Coast Line	124
Baltimore & Ohio	113 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	95 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	75 1-2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	148 3-4
Colorado & Southern	63 1-2
Erie	30 3-8
Erie 1st pfd	46 1-2
Erie 2nd pfd	38
Great Northern pfd	143 1-8
Kansas City Southern	45
Kansas City Southern pfd	72 1-2
L. & N.	138
Northern Pacific	142 7-8
Pennsylvania	135 1-8
People's Gas	115 5-8
Reading	143 3-4
Republican Steel pfd	77 1-2
Rock Island Co.	23
Rock Island Co. pfd	69 1-2
Southern Pacific	119
Southern Pacific pfd	123
Southern Railway	28 3-8
Southern Railway pfd	68 3-8
Standard Oil Co	668
Union Pacific	186
U. S. Rubber pfd	104 1-4
U. S. Steel	52 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd	114 3-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	46 5-8
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	115
Western Union	68 1-4
Westinghouse Electric Co.	82

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 26.—Flour quiet with prices easier.

Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 1.40 nominal elevator. Options 1-2 to 1 1-8c net decline. May 1.24; July 1.14; Sept. 1.16 7-8.

Corn—Spot easy; No. 2, 79 elevator. Options 3-8c rise on May and 1-4 to 1-2c loss on later months. May 77 3-4; July 75 1-4; Sept. 74 3-8.

Oats—Spot firm; mixed 58 to 58 1-2.

Lard—Easy.

Pork and Tallow—Steady.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.45.

Coffee—Raw quiet; No. 7, 8 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 7-8 to 9. Mild—Dull; Cordova 9 3-4 to 13. Futures closed steady net unchanged to 10 points higher.

Butter—Steady; creamery specials 27 to 27 1-2; official 27; extras 26 1-2; third to first 21 to 25; held creamery thick to extras 20 to 25; process common to special 17 to 23.

Cheese—Firm; State, old full cream, specials 16 to 17; do fancy 15 3-4; do good to fine 15 1-2; State full cream, new colored best 14 1-2 to 15; do white best 13 1-2 to 14 1-2; do common to fair 10 to 13; skims full to special 2 1-2 to 12 1-2.

EGGS—Easier; State, Pennsylvania and nearby selected white 23 1-2; do fair to choice 22 1-2 to 23; brown and mixed fancy 23; do fair to choice 21 1-2 to 22 1-2; Southern first 21; seconds 20 1-2.

Cotton Seed Oil—Easier for nearby months under lower crude and outside demand. Late months were steady with offerings light. May 5.57 to 5.58; July 5.79 to 5.80; September 5.97 to 5.98; October 5.93 to 5.95. Spot oil was in poor demand; prime crude 4.47 to 4.54; prime summer yellow 5.53 to 5.60; do white 5.72 to 5.85; do winter yellow 5.75 to 6.00.

Potatoes—Irregular; Bermuda new per barrel 3.00 to 4.75; Southern new 2.25 to 4.50; Maine in bulk per 180 pounds 2.87 to 3.00; State 2.62 to 2.87; European per bag 1.00 to 2.25; Eastern shore sweets per barrel 2.00 to 3.00; Jersey, per basket 75c to 2.00.

Cabbages—Weak; Southern white per crate 1.00 to 1.25; do red 1.50 to 2.50.

Freights to Liverpool—Dull; cotton by steam 12c.

Peanuts—Steady; fancy handpicked 4 1-2 to 5; other domestic 2 to 5.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, April 26.—Wheat prices declined still further today from the low point touched during the severe slump of last week, the July delivery dropping to 1.05 3-4 per bushel. The market closed weak at net declines of 3-4 to 1 1-4c. Corn and oats closed firm and provisions weak.

Leading futures were as follows:

	Open	High	Close
Wheat.			
May	1 21	1 21	1 18 7-8
July	1 08 3-4	1 08 3-4	1 06 3-8
Sept	1 01 1-2	1 01 5-8	99 3-4
Dec.	1 01	1 01	99 1-4
Corn.			
May	69 1-4	69 5-8	69 3-8
July	67 1-4	67 5-8	67 3-8
Sept	66 3-4	67	66 5-8
Dec.	57 7-8	58 1-8	58
Oats.			
May	55 5-8	55 3-4	55 3-8
July	48 3-4	49 1-4	48 3-4
Sept	41 5-8	42 1-8	41 3-4
Dec.	42 1-8	42 1-2	42
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
May	17 75	17 77 1-2	17 67 1-2
July	17 90	17 92 1-2	17 87 1-2
Sept	17 87 1-2	17 87 1-2	17 82 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
May	10 27 1-2	10 27 1-2	10 25
July	10 42 1-2	10 42 1-2	10 37 1-2
Sept	10 50	10 55	10 52 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
May	9 60	9 65	9 65
July	9 72 1-2	9 72 1-2	9 72 1-2
Sept	9 77 1-2	9 82 1-2	9 82 1-2

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 26.—Rosin quiet. Turpentine firm.

Charleston, April 26.—Turpentine quiet, 37. Rosin quiet. Quote: A B C, 3.40; D, 3.52 1-2; E, 3.67 1-2; F, 3.77 1-2; G, 3.85; H, 4.10; I, 4.10; K, 5.05; M, 5.10; N, 5.15; WG, 5.20; WW, 5.25 to 5.40.

MARINE

CLEARED.

Str. Navahoe, Hale, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

Str. Lyon, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Schr. Forest City, 1,294 tons, Adkins, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

Str. Osceola (Br.) 2,318 tons, Nisbet, New York, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

ARRIVED.

Str. Lyon, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

Str. Axminster (Br.) Clark, Bremen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Exports—Foreign.

Bremen, Germany—Br. str. Axminster, 5,759 bales of cotton, valued at $316,000; vessel and cargo by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 26, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—113 bales cotton, 8 barrels tar.

W. & W. Railroad—140 bales cotton, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—691 bales cotton, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—68 bales cotton, 36 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine, 18 barrels rosin, 21 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—6 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Duplin—2 bales cotton, 10 barrels rosin.

Str. Lyon—21 bales cotton, 20 barrels tar, 1 barrel crude turpentine.

Total—1,035 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 34 barrels rosin, 70 barrels tar, 37 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Osceola (Br.) 2,318 tons, Nisbet, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Nellie W. Craig, 468 tons, Lane, C. D. Maffitt.

Forest City, 1,294 tons, Adkins, C. D. Maffiett.

SPECIAL ELECTION FOR SCHOOL TAX.

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover county, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its 1909 session entitled, "An Act for the better maintenance and support of the Public Schools of New Hanover county", the Board of Education of said county having requested this Board to submit to a vote of the qualified electors of New Hanover county the question, "Shall New Hanover County levy a special tax for the better maintenance and support of the Public Schools of said county?" do hereby call an election to be held by the qualified electors of New Hanover county on Wednesday, the 26th day of May, 1909, between the hours of sunrise and sunset, to determine whether New Hanover county shall levy a special tax for the better maintenance and support of the Public Schools of said county. At said election the ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written or printed upon them the words "For Public School Tax," or "Against Public School Tax." All qualified voters who favor the levy of the special tax shall vote "For Public School Tax." All qualified voters who are opposed thereto shall vote "Against Public School Tax." For the purposes of this election, as authorized by the said Act, the said Board of Commissioners do hereby order a new registration for said election, and the following are designated as the polling places for the several townships, precincts and wards and the persons hereinafter named have been appointed as the Registrars and Judges of Election in the said townships, precincts and wards, to-wit:

Cape Fear Township: Blossom's Store, Castle Hayne, N. C.; Wm. B. Hand, registrar; W. H. Shearin, J. H. Johnston, judges of election.

Harnett Township, 1st Division: Delgado Barber Shop; T. A. Compton, registrar; John Goley, Bishop Weaver, judges of election.

Harnett Township, 2nd Division: Township House; J. A. Everett, registrar; James N. Shepard, George R. Smith, judges of election.

Masonboro Township: Township House; W. H. Biddle, registrar; William Lumsden, Andrew Capps, judges of election.

Federal Point Township: Capps' Store; Henry Taylor, registrar; J. A. Biddle, Hill Williams, judges of election.

Wilmington, 1st Ward: Fourth Street Engine House; W. McD. Evans registrar; G. H. Heyer, C. L. Spencer, judges of election.

Wilmington, 2nd Ward: J. J. Furlong's office, 210 Princess street; W. W. Hodges, registrar; T. W. Wood, W. E. Worth, judges of election.

Wilmington, 3rd Ward: Giblem Lodge; C. H. Ward, registrar; L. B. Rogers, L. B. Sasser, judges of election.

Wilmington, 4th Ward: N. Schloss' stable; Jas. T. Reily, registrar; Roger Moore, W. A. French, judges of election.

Wilmington, 5th Ward: Market House, 5th and Castle streets; J. W. Gafford, registrar; R. A. Burnett, W. W. King, judges of election.

The Registration books of each township, ward and precinct shall be kept open between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and sunset of each day, Sundays excepted, for twenty (20) days, beginning the 22nd day of April 1909, for the registration of electors, and the said books shall be closed for registration at sunset on the second Saturday before the said election, to-wit: on the 15th day of May, 1909, and on Saturday, the 24th day of April, 1909, and on Saturdays, the first, eighth and fifteenth days of May, 1909, the Registrars shall attend with their respective books at the polling places of their respective townships, wards and precincts for the registration of electors.

The Registrars shall attend at the polling places of their respective townships, wards or precincts, on the Saturday preceeding the election, to-wit: May 22nd, 1909, from the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. until the hour of 3 o'clock P. M., when and where the said books will be open to the inspection of the electors of said township, ward or precinct, and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books.

This April 19th, 1909.

DUNCAN McEACHERN,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover County.

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An Amendment to The Tariff Bill Introduced by Senator Overman.

SENATOR BAILEY'S SPEECH

On the Tariff—Principle of Protection Denounced as Unfair—Questioned by Other Senators—Large Attendance on Floor.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 26.—In the Senate today Mr. Overman, North Carolina, offered an amendment to the tariff bill by which he proposes to place on each immigrant coming into the United States a head tax of $12. Mr. Overman declared his amendment was in the interest of revenue and protection to American labor. The tax he desired to have provided for aliens has been held constitutional by the United States Supreme Court and that was one of the arguments Mr. Overman offered in support of his amendment. "It means not only revenue for the treasury," he said, "but also a select class of immigrants and, therefore protects labor.

Mr. Overman estimated the tax he proposed would bring to the Government $6,000,000 to $10,000,000 revenue.

Denouncing the principle of a protective tariff as unfair in taking money from one man to give it to another in order to encourage him in the pursuit of an otherwise unprofitable business, Senator Bailey, of Texas, delivered a set speech on the Democratic side in opposition to the pending tariff bill.

The announcement that Mr. Bailey would address the Senate was sufficient to bring to the chamber almost every Senator, and the galleries were crowded to their full capacity. Mrs. Taft occupied a seat in the President's section and was an attentive listener throughout the session.

Senator Bailey was not interrupted until he had proceeded with his remarks for an hour or more when several Senators engaged in colloquies with him. Senator Aldrich called especial attention to the estimate of the Texas Senator to the effect that the duties of the pending bill might be lowered 33 1-3 per cent and asked whether he showed the profits of American industries equaled that amount. Mr. Bailey replied that in the case of the United States Steel Corporation he believed they had and he cited the increased capitalization of that organization as an evidence of enormous profit. He insisted that such a lowering of the rate of duty would not seriously affect importations because he believed American manufacturers would be stimulated by the added foreign competition and would continue to supply the markets.

Mr. Bailey addressed himself at length to his amendment providing for an income tax, which was criticised by Mr. Aldrich.

Mr. Bailey favored restriction of immigration as a protection to American labor, Mr. Aldrich retoting that while the Senator from Texas was ready to keep the foreign laborer from our shores he was not averse to allowing the product of this cheap labor to come in competition with the product of American working men.

Mr. Bailey did not conclude his remarks and will resume tomorrow when he will devote his attention to the purely legal aspect of an income tax law.

At 4:10 o'clock P. M., the Senate adjourned.

THE SITUATION UNCHANGED.

In Armenian Towns—Foreign Forces Denied Permission to Land.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Alexandretta, Asiatic Turkey, April 26.—Refugees who have made their escape from Deurtyul, which is a small town not far from Alexandretta, bring most alarming accounts of the situation there. They affirm that 100,000 Armenians are beleaguered by 50,000 Moslems. The besieged are half starving and the conditions within the walls of the city are pitiful. It is difficult for foreign residents here to credit these numbers. The foreign Consuls estimate about 6,000 towns people and refugees at Deurtyul with perhaps as many more Turks threatening them from the outside. It is certain there are no Americans at that place.

Commanders of the British and other warships at this port have had under consideration the landing of a force to relieve the besieged town which is within one day's march of Alexandretta, but they finally decided that this was wholly impracticable, as they had no right to interfere in a purely internal affair, and the Governor declined to give his permission to the landing of an armed force.

If relieving forces were sent out in opposition to the Governor's wishes it was recognized that such an expedition would be equivalent to a declaration of war, and, in addition, the largest commands that the warships could muster would stand in great danger of being overwhelmed if they attempted to force their way against such immense odds.

"I'd Rather Die, Doctor, than have my feet cut off," said M. L. Bingham, of Princeville, Ill., "but you'll die from gangrene (which had eaten away eight toes) if you don't," said all doctors. Instead—he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve till wholly cured. Its cures of Eczema, Fever Sores, Boils, Burns and Piles astound the world. 25c at R. R. Bellamy.

There will be a moonlight excursion Monday, May 3rd, at 8 P. M. apr 27-29

CUT IN FREIGHT RATES

Reduction on Eastern Truck Lines Inevitable In Order to Compete With Several Other Large Systems.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 26.—A reduced rate among the Eastern trunk lines is nearly inevitable in the opinion of the Inter-State Commerce Commission. Thus far, the trouble extends only to rates on import traffic, westbound, but the likelihood is that it will exvtend, before a great while to domestic traffic.

The trouble was precipitated some time ago by the Boston & Maine Railroad in wiping out a differential of 1 cent a hundred pounds on import traffic westbound which has existed for years between Boston and ports of New York, Baltimore and Philadelphia. It was not expected that the trunk lines generally would meet the second reduction by Boston & Maine, but a day or two ago the Chesapeake & Ohio reduced its rate, effective May 24th, from Norfolk to meet the Boston & Maine's rates.

Richmond, Va., April 26.—F. H. Whittaker, freight traffic manager of the Chesapeake & Ohio today gave out a statement concerning the recent cuts in freight by that road out of Newport News, Va., and the Baltimore & Ohio out of Baltimore.

For years the recognized basis has been the Philadelphia basis, which is one cent per hundred pounds higher than the Baltimore and Newport News rates.

Recently the Boston & Maine reduced rates one cent. This was met by reduction on the part of the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Newport News route. Boston & Maine again came down to the Baltimore basis and this was met by the other roads.

"The report as to any independent action of the C. & O. in this matter disturbing the rate adjustment as between New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Newport News is wholly incorrect as there is thorough accord between all interests on this question," concludes Mr. Whittaker.

DISAPPEARANCE EXPLAINED

Wanted to See the World and Work For a Living.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 26.—Adele Boas the 13 year old daughter of Arthur E. Boas, a wealthy thread manufacturer, is at home tonight with her parents. The mystery of her disappearance last Friday has been solved and the case resolved itself into nothing more than an escapade of a child with a sudden desire to see the world. Boston in particular, and a wish to be independent and work for a living. She is back with a cut finger and disneveled clothes and apparently suffering from fatigue.

The girl was found on a New York, New Hampshire and Hudson River train at Stamford, Conn., by detectives from New York. An hour later she was in her home. She went away voluntarily, she said, under the impression that she would like to earn her own living and, seeing the newspapers and learning that the police were looking for her, decided to come home from Boston alone, without notifying the police. Adele told the detectives, that, possessed of $14 in cash she was seized with a desire to go away and make her own living. Friday night she boarded a train for Boston, where she found a furnished room and obtained employment at a restaurant. She worked only a few hours when she cut her finger and the manager discharged her for awkwardness.

YESTERDAY IN THE CAPITAL.

The Nagel-North Controversy—Change in Senate Tariff Bill.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 26.—The most important happenings in the Nation's capital today were as follows:

Secretary Nagel, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, issued a statement bearing on his controversy with Director North of the Census Bureau in which he said that if he was to be held responsible for Mr. North's bureau he must have authority over it.

A notable speech reflecting the Democratic view of the tariff question was made in the Senate by Mr. Bailey, of Texas, in advocating his proposed income tax amendment to the pending bill.

Two new faces made their appearance in the National Legislature, Mr. Fletcher, of Florida, taking the oath of office in the Senate, and Mr. Cassidy, of Ohio, being sworn in as a member of the House.

It was learned that the Senate Finance Committee had decided to change the automatic operation of the maximum and minimum feature of the tariff bill so that the maximum rate of duty would only be applied by proclamation of the President.

TAR HEEL GETS APPOINTMENT

President Appoints A. Donaldson Smith as Consul at Patras, Greece.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 26.—The President today nominated A. Donaldson Sitm, of North Carolina to be consul at Patras, Greece and Charles Mayrant Reese, of South Carolina, to be First Lieutenant.

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"Your son has Consumption. His case is hopeless." These appalling words were spoken to Geo. E. Blevens, a leading merchant of Springfield, N. C., by two expert doctors—one a lung specialist. Then was shown the wonderful power of Dr. King's New Discovery. "After three weeks' use," writes Mr. Blevens, "he was as well as ever. I would not take all the money in the world for what it did for my boy." Infallible for Coughs and Colds, its the safest, surest cure of desperate Lung diseases on earth. 50c and $1.00. R. R. Bellamy. Guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free.

TO FORCE SULTAN OUT OF TURKEY

Determined Effort of Parliament to Compel Abdul Hamid to Abdicate.

INCAPABLE OF RULING

Senators and Deputies Declare People Favorable to Sultan's Removal. New Ruler of Empire is Suggested.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Constantinople, April 26.—The deposition of the Sultan, Abdul Hamid, seems certain and the 101 guns saluting Mehmed Recchad Effendi, as the new ruler of the Empire, will probably be heard before the next Selamlik on Friday. The dignatorcas of the church care as little for Abdul Hamid as does the committee of Union and Progress, but the higher clergy are seeking to curb the agitation of the enthusiasts of the Mohammedan League. Senators and Deputies, who have made inquiry among the Ulemas find them in different degrees favorable to the Sultan's removal.

A caucus of Senators and Deputies today determined to make an effort to compel him to abdicate under the ecclesiastical law, by the terms of which a decree may be issue by the Sheik-Ul-Islam, the highest authority of Mohamedanism, next to the Sultan, pronouncing the Sultan incapable of ruling.

A LYNCHING PROBABLE.

A Negro Burglar Kills One of the Posse in Pursuit.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Sparks, Ga., April 26.—While searching for two negro men who had, in succession, robbed the postoffice, a bank, a dry goods store and a drug store at Lenox, this county, early this morning, Assistant Postmaster Clifford Rutherford, of that place, was shot twice through the head and instantly killed by Marshall Lewis, one of the negroes, who had taken refuge in the railway station.

Lewis' accomplice was caught, but Lewis escaped and was later trailed down by dogs at Adel, and was taken towards the Nashville, Ga., jail. The negro confessed and begged not to be taken back to Lenox. A hundred friends of Rutherford went to Adel late this afternoon with the intention of intercepting the sheriff. It is admitted that a lynching is imminent. Indignation over the murder is deep and if the sheriff fails to reach a substantial jail the probabilities are that his prisoner will be hanged.

Rutherford, while seeking the robbers, put his head in the door of the depot waiting room and struck a match. At that instant two shots rang out and he dropped to the floor.

ROOSEVELT RESTING.

Fatigued From Journey—Plenty of Big Game About.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Nairobia, April 26.—Both Theodore Roosevelt and his son Kermit are indisposed today as a result of their recent hunting activities and their journey from Kapiti Plains to the ranch of Sir Alfred Pease on the Athi river. They are resting from their fatigue at the ranch. Mr. Roosevelt left Papiti Plains yesterday and went to the ranch of Sir Alfred Pease, on the Athi river.

Lions are reported numerous on Mr. McMillan's Ju Ja ranch, and there is a herd of 150 buffalos on Mr. Heathley's ranch, where Mr. Roosevelt will hunt. The weather here and at the Pease ranch today is cloudy and hard rains fell last night. The prospects of sport on the plains are exceptionally good, owing to the rainfall. There have been no more cases of smallpox in the Roosevelt caravan.

Through the inability of the jury to agree in the case of Joshua W. Ashley, on trial in the Federal Court at Greenville, S. C., for peonage, a mistrial resulted yesterday. Ashley is a member of the State Legislature from Anderson county. The case was given to the jury Saturday evening.

The derelict destroyer Seneca, Capt. Randles, from New York last Tuesday, left Cape Lookout Cove yesterday in search of the derelict schooner Elvira Bell.

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The President Appoints ames T. Williams, Jr., of South Carolina.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 26.—The President today nominated James T. Williams, Jr., of South Carolina, to be Civil Service Commissioner. Mr. Williams lived in Greenville and Columbia, S. C., but is a native of Lincolnton, N. C. He graduated from Columbia College, New York, in 1901. He was connected for four years with the Associated Press and for two years was Washington correspondent of the Boston Transcript. Mr. Williams, who succeeds Henry F. Greene, who resigned several weeks ago, acted as secretary of National Chairman Hitchcock during the first part of the recent presidential campaign and, later, accompanied Mr. Taft on his long campaign trip.

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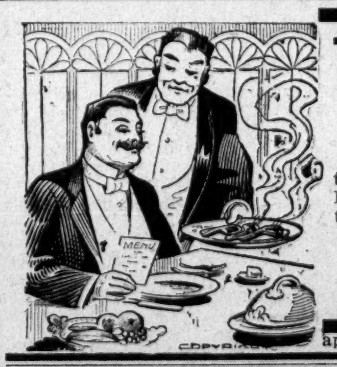

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